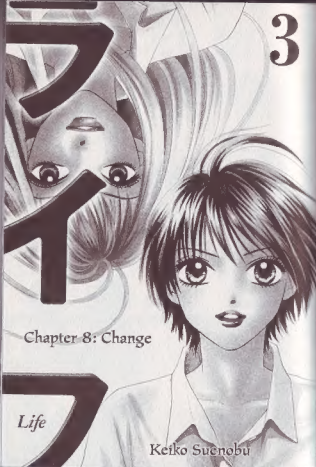


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Chapter 8: Change

Life

Keiko Suenobu

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Life



The true story of Life

Katsami, Ayano's friend and Masami's boyfriend, set a trap for Ayano to get a single photo of her with her cell phone, and so make things worse for Ayano. She discovered her secret, that she was trapped in a way to deal with life. She has discovered her secret, that she was trapped in a way to deal with life. She has discovered her secret, that she was trapped in a way to deal with life.



Hasei

Katsami

Masami Arai

Ayano Shirai



The other girls who are a bit, but not as much as Ayano.



Masami's boyfriend. He's a really nice guy, but he's a bit of a flirt.



The only friend Ayano has made since high school. She is a bit of a flirt.



A first grader in high school who has been in the same school as Ayano since she was a child. He is a bit of a flirt.

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HANAME



WHAT I'D
DO TO MAKE
THEM HATE
ME

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ALL
RIGHT.



THERE WILL BE
NO SPEAKING
TO HATORI.



OH.

YEAH.

ARE YOU
SURE YOU
DON'T WANT
TO GET IN
THE BATHE



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HANAME



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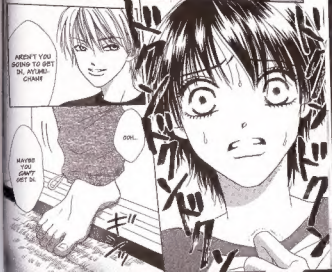


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BUT I
DON'T
WANT
HANAME
TO HATE
ME
EITHER.
THERE'S
NO WAY I
CAN WIN
THIS.

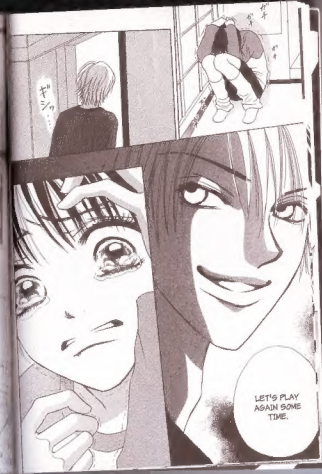
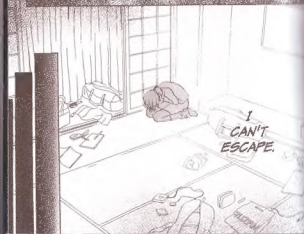
I DON'T WANT
TO GIVE HATORI
THE SILENT
TREATMENT.





MY BODY
WON'T
MOVE.

I
CAN'T
BREATHE.





LET'S PLAY
AGAIN SOME
TIME.





...AND
HE
LOVED
ME
BACK.

...FIND
SOMEONE
TO LOVE...



IF I
EVER...

WE'D LISTEN TO OUR
FAVORITE MUSIC
TOGETHER.

WE'D WATCH
MOVIES.

WE'D GET PICTURES
TAKEN.



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I'M
SCARED.

I'M
SCARED!



THEY HATE
ME

EVEN IF
I TOLD
SOMEONE HE
ATTACKED
ME, NO
ONE WOULD
BELIEVE IT.



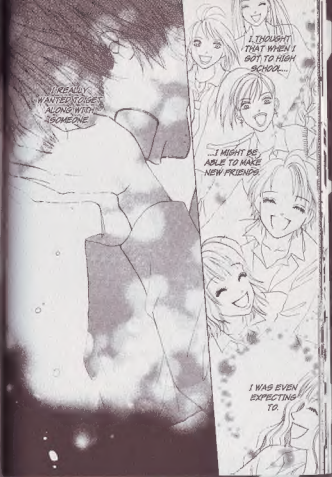
...AND NONE
OF THEM
WILL COME
TO ME.

HE'S GOING
TO KILL ME.



I HAD
HOPES AND
DREAMS...





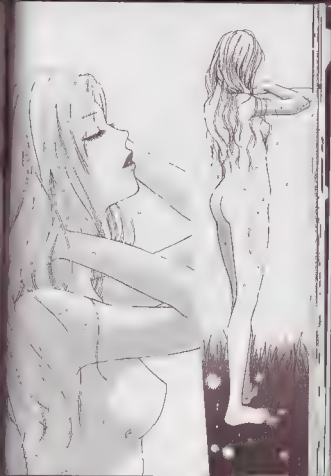
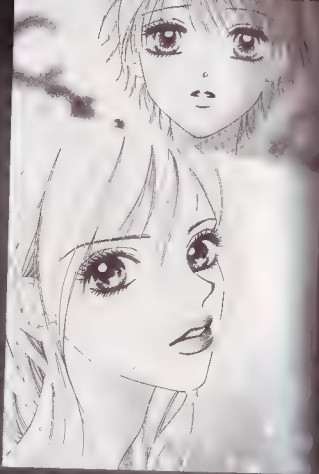
I REALLY
WANTED TO LIVE
ALONG WITH
SOMEONE

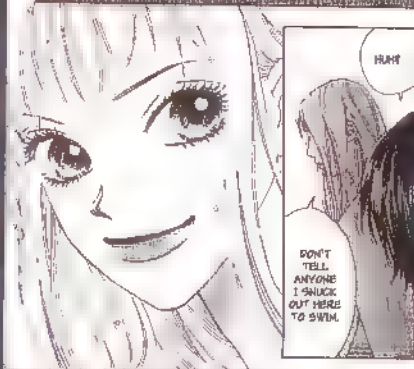
I THOUGHT
THAT WHEN I
GOT TO HIGH
SCHOOL...

...I MIGHT BE
ABLE TO MAKE
NEW FRIENDS.

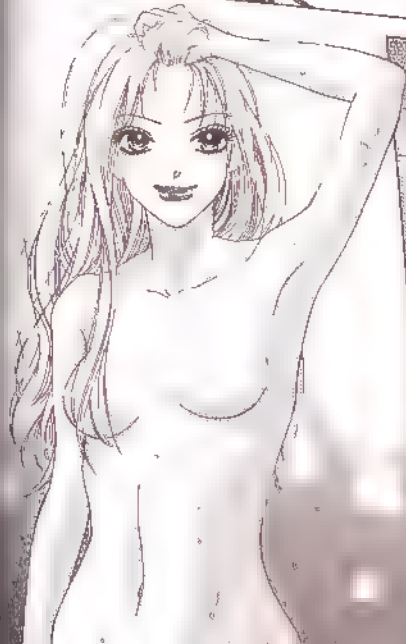
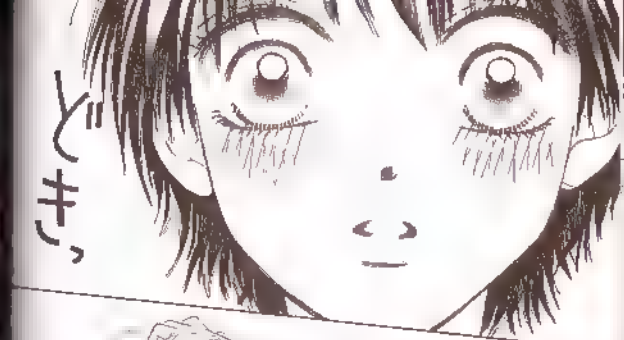
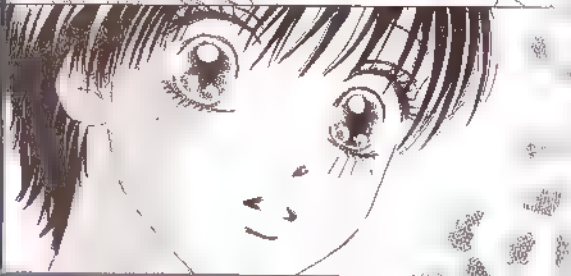
I WAS EVEN
EXPECTING
TO.







KEEP MY
SECRET,
OKAY?

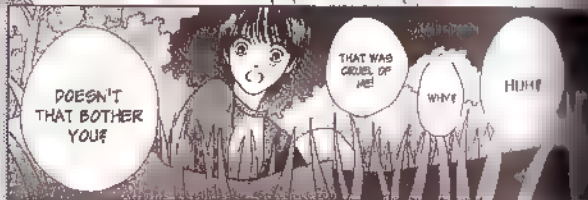




I
DON'T
CARE

THINK THAT
YOU ARE

THE 1

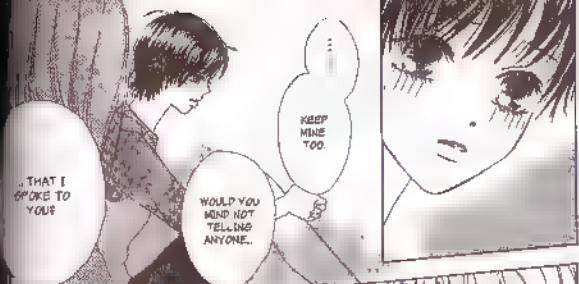


DOESN'T
THAT BOTHER
YOU?

THAT WAS
GROSS OF
ME!

WHY?

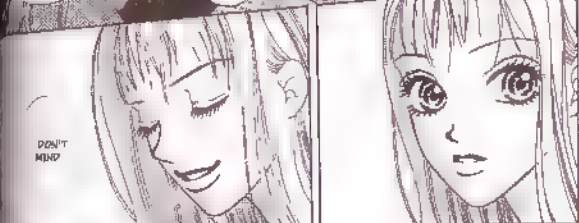
HUFF



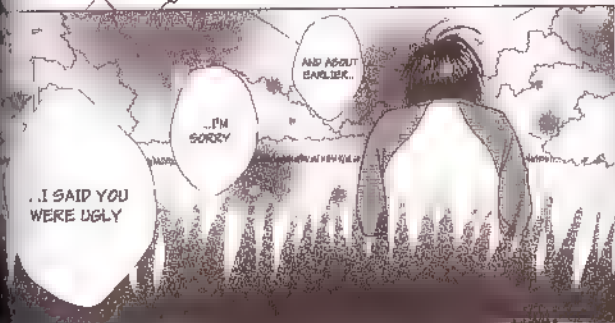
THAT I
SPOKE TO
YOU

WOULD YOU
MIND NOT
TELLING
ANYONE.

KEEP
MINE
TOO.



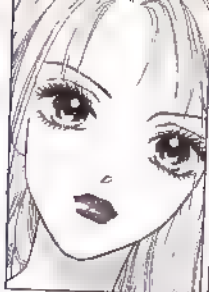
DON'T
MIND



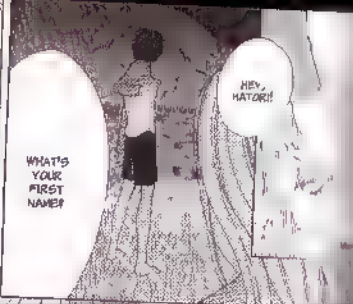
..I SAID YOU
WERE UGLY

..I'M
SORRY

AND ABOUT
EARLIER..



WHAT'S
YOUR
FIRST
NAME?

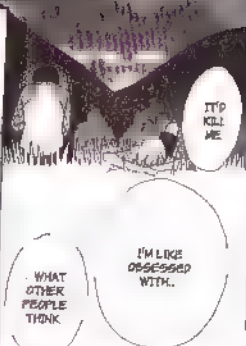


HEY,
HATORI!



EVERY
LITTLE
LOOK OR
GIGGLE...

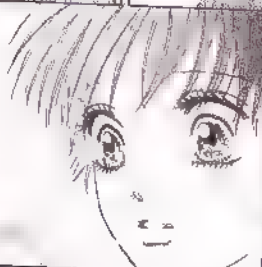
...I ALWAYS THINK
THEY'RE TALKING
ABOUT ME.



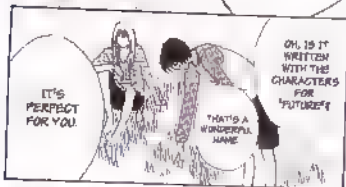
IT'D
KILL
ME

WHAT
OTHER
PEOPLE
THINK

I'M LIKE
OBSESSED
WITH...



MIKI.



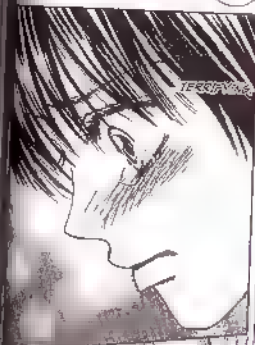
IT'S
PERFECT
FOR YOU.

THAT'S A
WONDERFUL
NAME

OH, IS IT
WRITTEN
WITH THE
CHARACTERS
FOR
FUTURE?

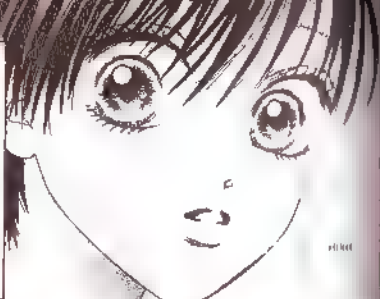
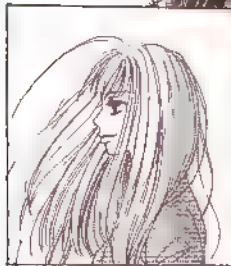


MINE DOESN'T
FIT ME AT
ALL.



IT'S
REALLY





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THAT
WOULD
MAKE ME
HAPPY?

I'VE NEVER
REALLY
THOUGHT
ABOUT
THAT.



MAKES ME
HAPPY?



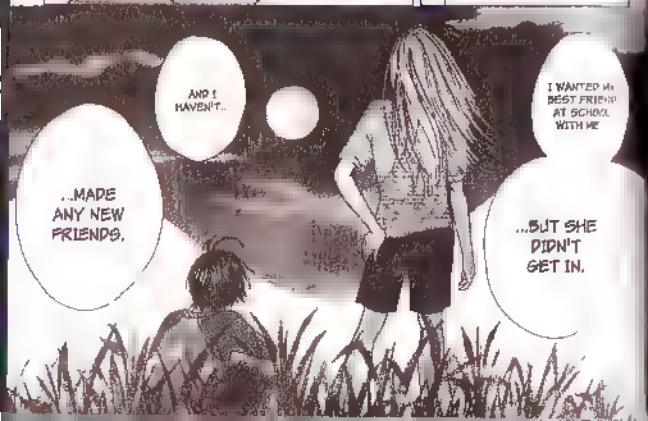
AND IT
MEANS "WALK
FORWARD," BUT
I JUST DON'T

"FAYOMI" IS A
BOYS NAME...

BUT I'M VERY
SHY



I
HATE
IT

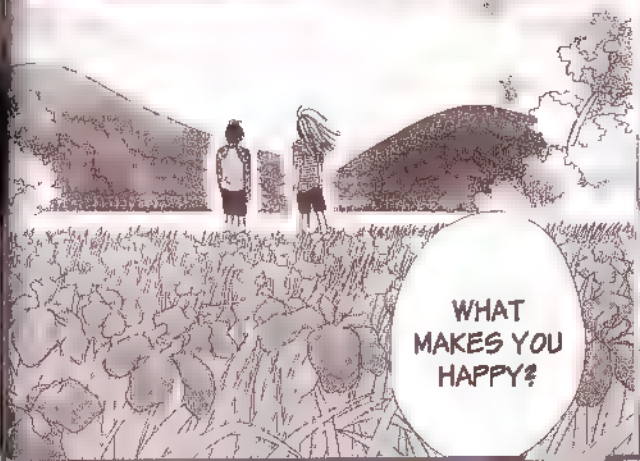


AND I
HAVEN'T...

...MADE
ANY NEW
FRIENDS.

I WANTED MY
BEST FRIEND
AT SCHOOL
WITH ME

...BUT SHE
DIDN'T
GET IN.



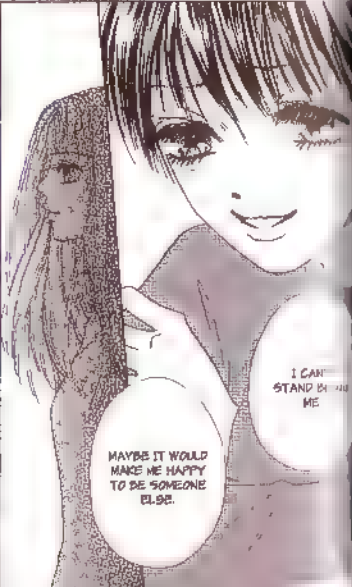
WHAT
MAKES YOU
HAPPY?



I CAN'T DO
ANYTHING
EXCEPT
CUT.



IT'S NOT
MY NAME I
HATE



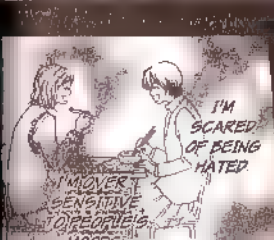
MAYBE IT WOULD
MAKE ME HAPPY
TO BE SOMEONE
ELSE.

I CAN'T
STAND BEING
ME




AND
BECAUSE
OF THAT

I HAVEN'T
HAD FUN
HERE



I'M OVER
SENSITIVE
TO PEOPLE'S
MOODS

I'M
SCARED
OF BEING
HATED.



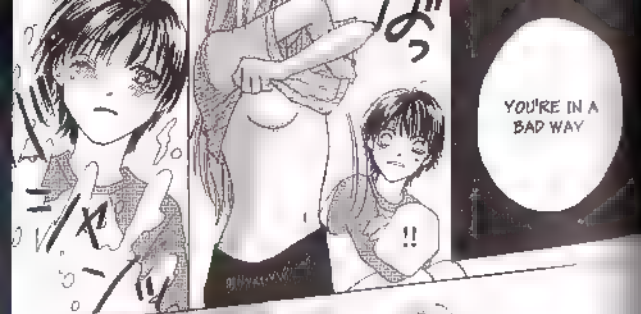
IF
SOMEONE
DOES
SOMETHING
MEAN TO ME
I JUST LAUGH
ALONG.



I CAN'T
STAND
UP FOR
MYSELF



I'M WORTHLESS
AREN'T I?



YOU'RE IN A
BAD WAY



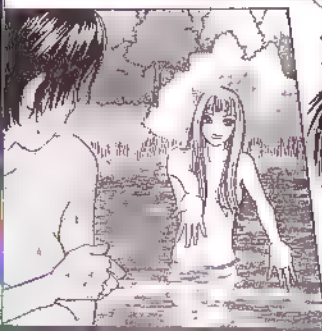
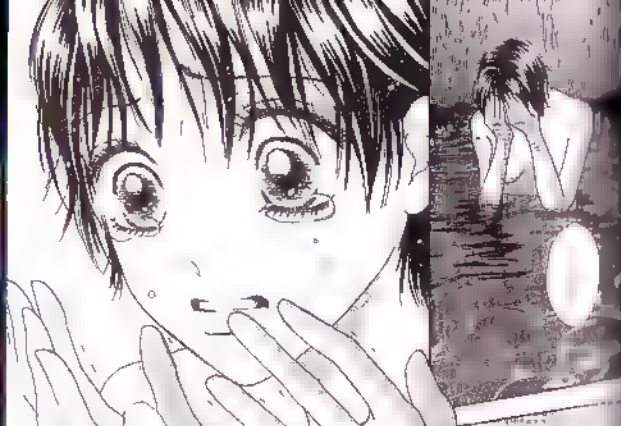
COME ON IN!

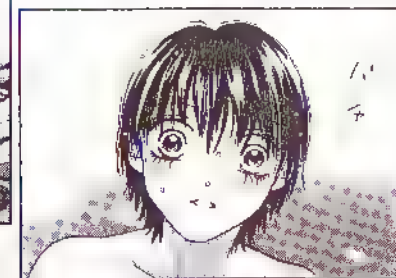
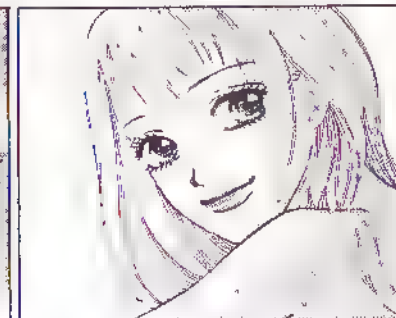
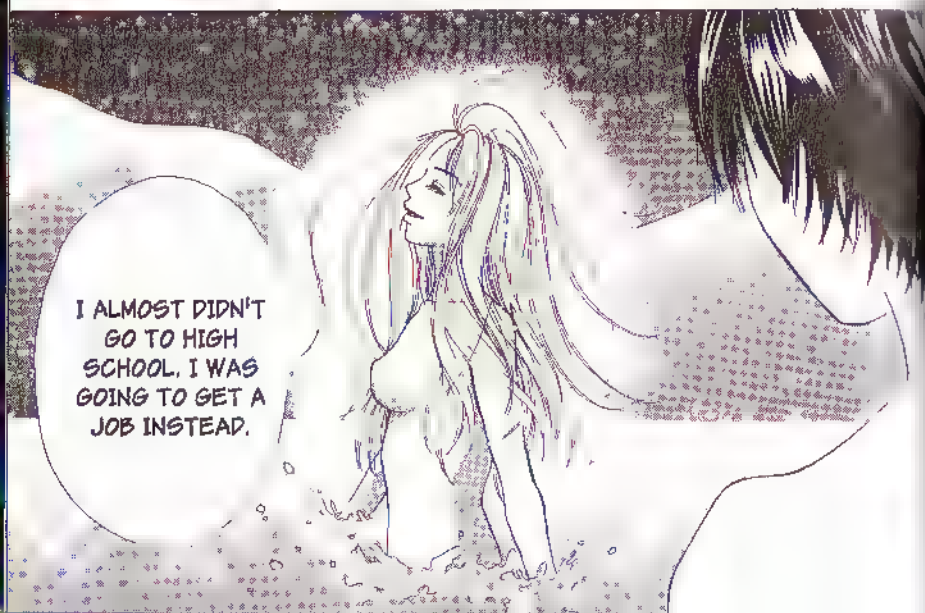
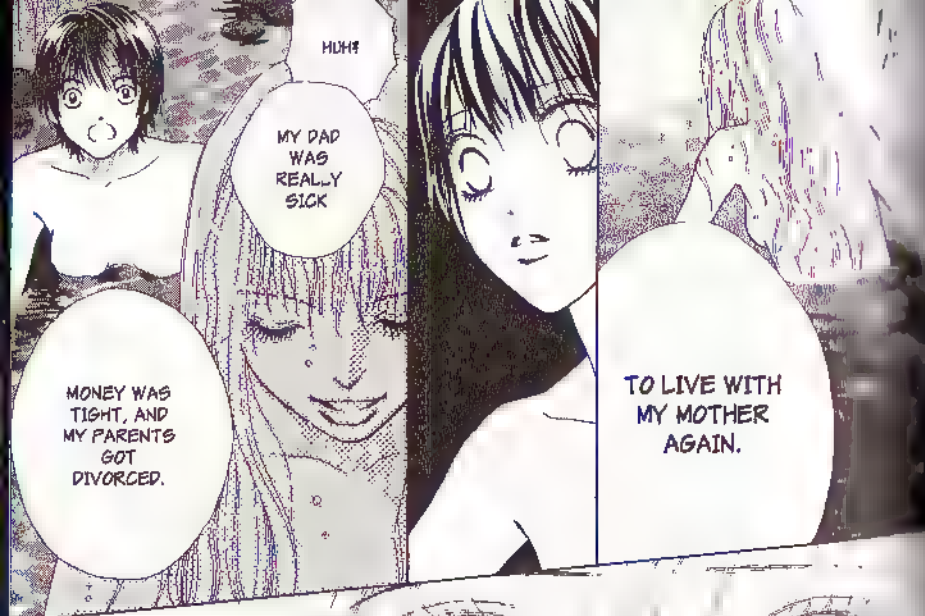


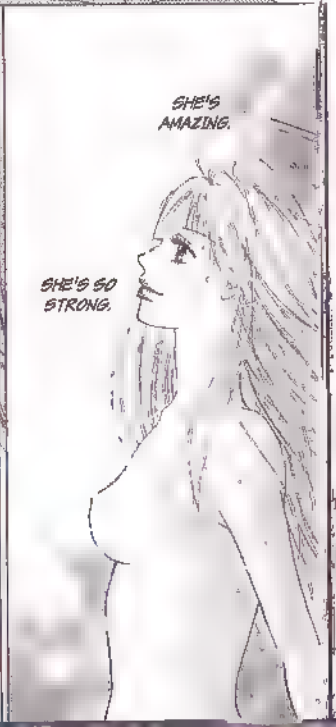
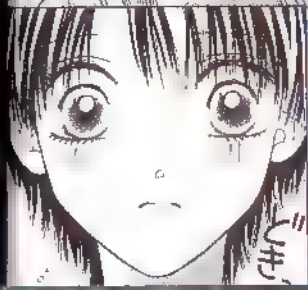
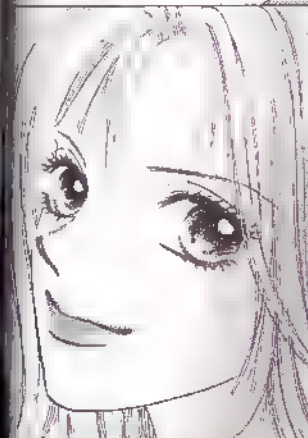
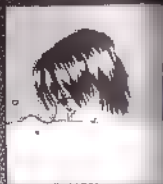
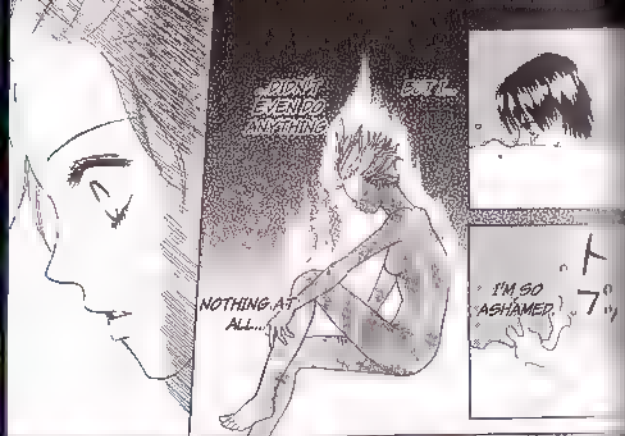
IT'LL MAKE YOU
FEEL BETTER.



I HATE
MYSELF.







THIS
FEELS
GREAT!

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WHAT
WOULD
MAKE ME
HAPPY?

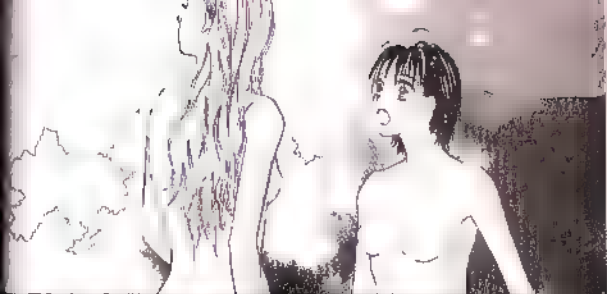
WOULD BE
TO LOVE
MYSELF

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WHAT I HATE
ABOUT MYSELF
IS...

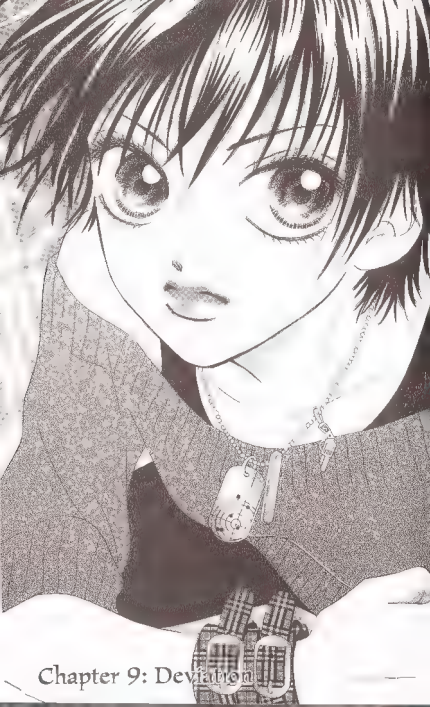
WHAT'S SO
WORTHLESS
ABOUT ME IS...

I HAVEN'T
DONE
ANYTHING!



I WANT
TO BE
STRONG.



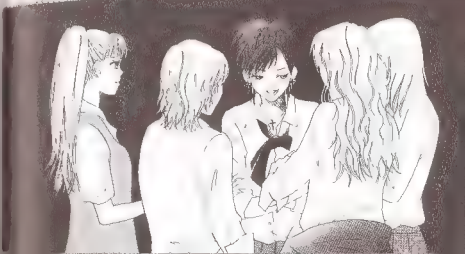
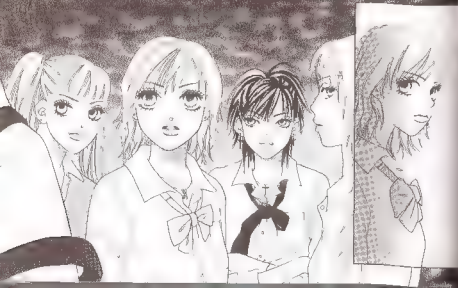
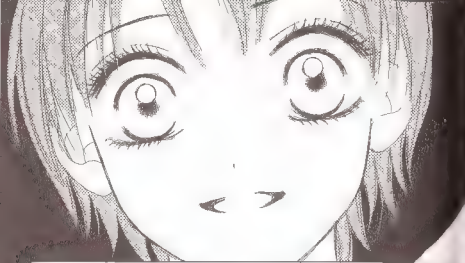


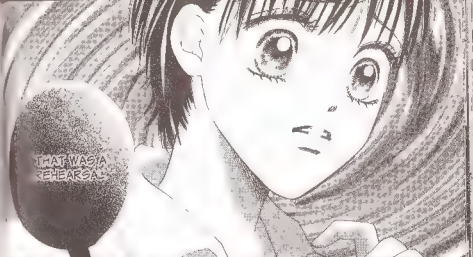
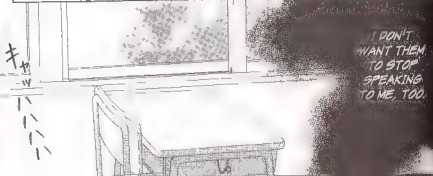
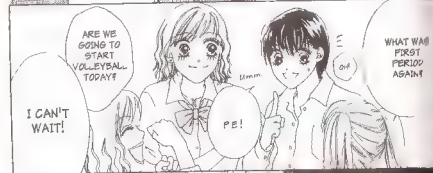
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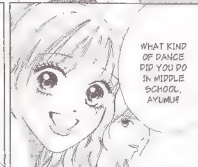
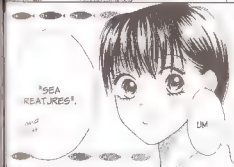


I WANT
TO BE
STRONG.











THE
TEACHER'S
NOT COMING

WE'RE
SUPPOSED TO
GO BACK TO
CLASS AND
PICK TEAMS.



YOU'RE SO
FUNNY, AYUMI!

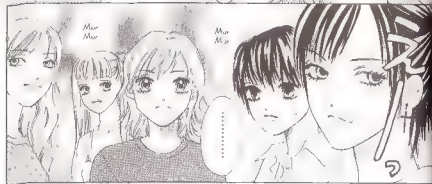
That
was the
BEST!



Heh
Heh

YOU

YOU
THINK
SO?



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Mur

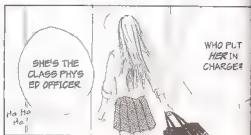
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Mur

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No way!

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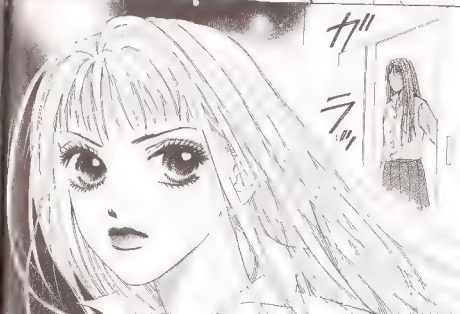
Chatter
Chatter



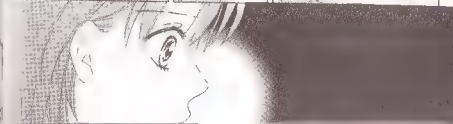
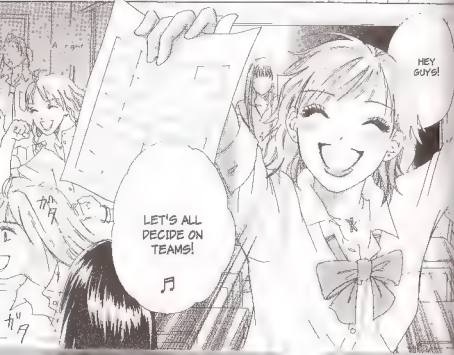
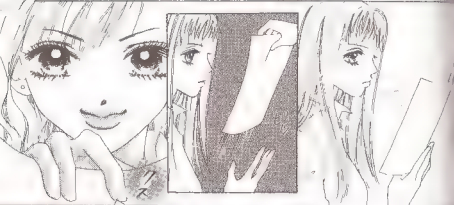
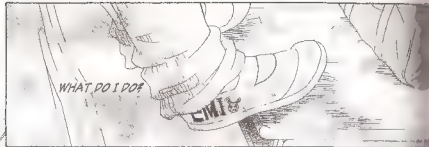
SHE'S THE
CLASS PHYS
ED OFFICER

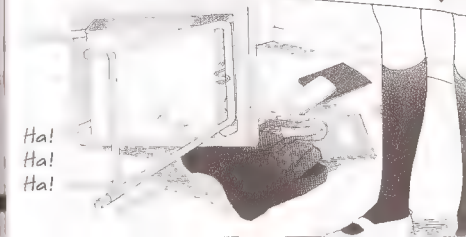
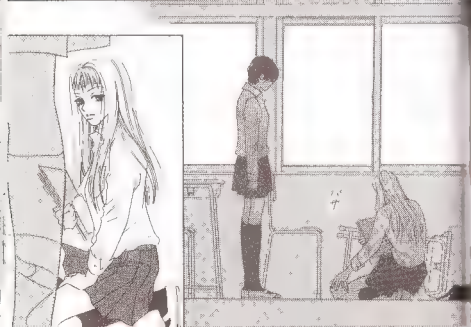
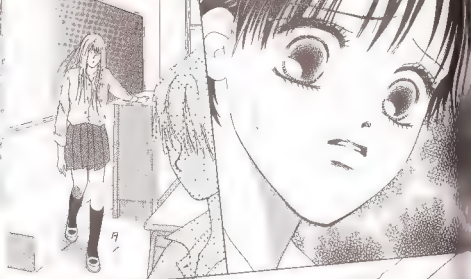
WHO PUT
HER IN
CHARGE?

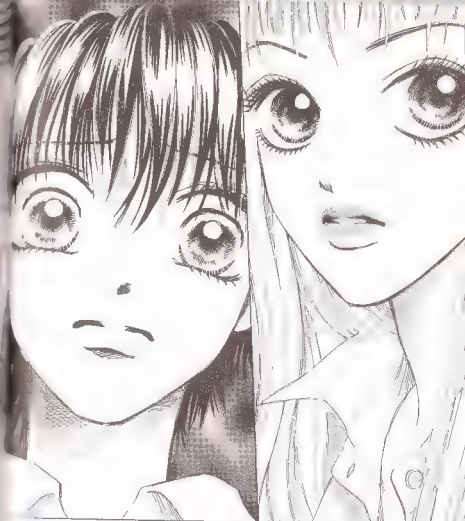
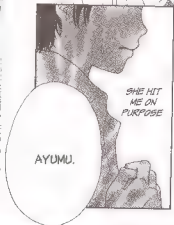
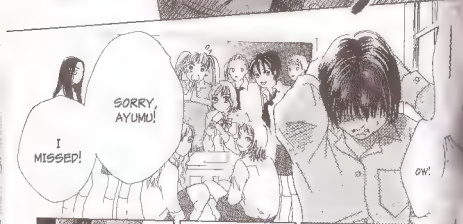
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Ha Ha

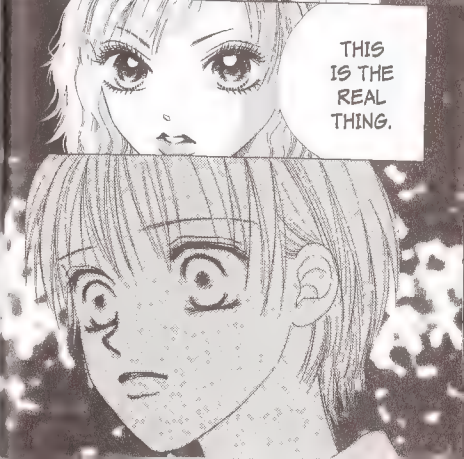
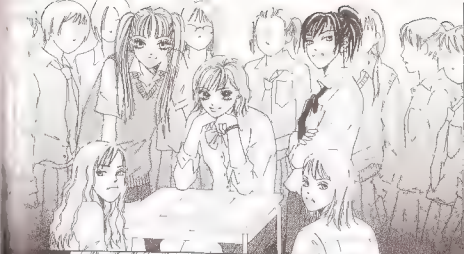
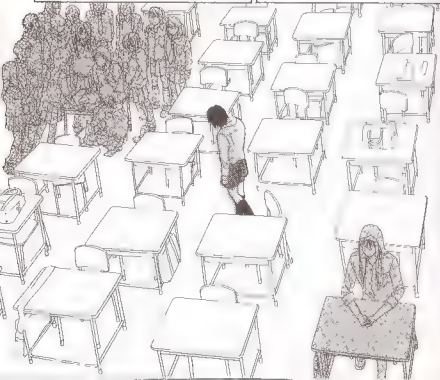
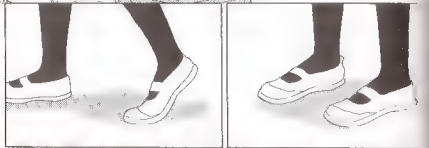
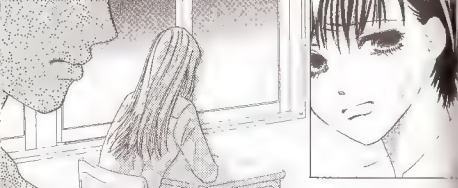


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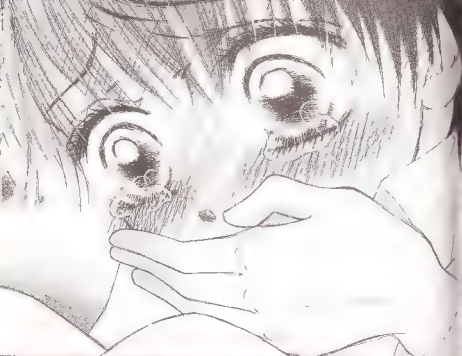


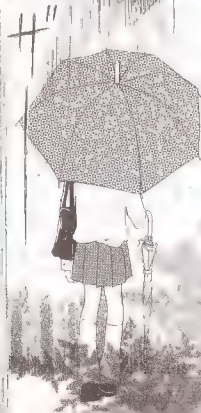
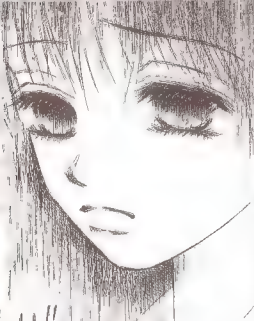




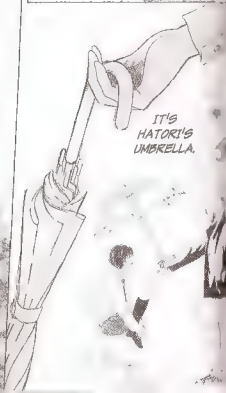


THIS
IS THE
REAL
THING.

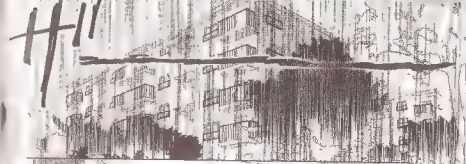




OH...



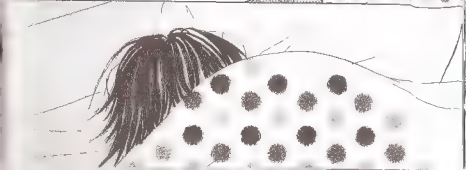
IT'S
HATORI'S
UMBRELLA.



HOW CAN YOU
SAY THAT
YOU'RE SUCH A
GOOD STUDENT



I DON'T
WANT
TO GO





UGH!
WHAT
TRASH!

SHE
SHOULD
SHE

SHE
DOESN'T EVEN
MAKE TIME FOR
CLASS!

AND WHO THE
HELL KNOWS
WHERE SHE
IS NOW

I GOT SOME
DIRT ON
HATORI!

HEY
LISTEN
GUYS!

I WONDER
WHAT IT
COULD
BE

YOU LISTEN
JP TOO,
AYUMU-
CHAN.

WHAT IS IT?

Yes, it was
going to
be like this

Hey yeah!

SHE'S GOT
TO BE THE
RICHEST GIRL
IN SCHOOL!

LET'S
DO
IT!

THAT'S A
HOT PLAN

OH, WE'RE SUCH
SUCKERS FOR
COMING TO SCHOOL
AND LIVING ON
OUR LITTLE
ALLOWANCES!

LET'S JUST
STEAL HER
MONEY!

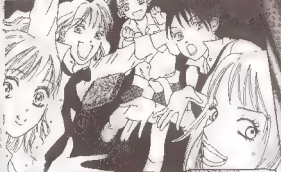
SHE'S SO
GREEDY
FOR MONEY,
SHE S GOTTA
GO THAT FAR
TO GET IT

HOW MANY CUSTOMERS DO YOU THINK SHE HAS?

THAT RUMOR
ABOUT HER
TURNING TRICKS
IS TOTALLY
TRUE!

I
THOUGHT
90!

AND THIS IS IN
ADDITION TO THE
PART TIME JOB
SHE HAS!



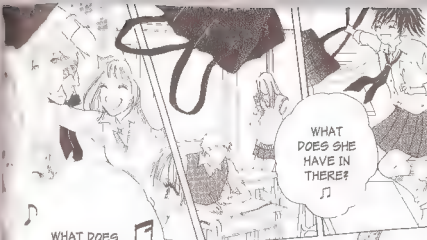
OOOPS

YOU
GUYS
ARE
WRONG!



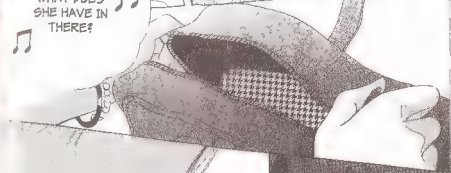
ABOUT
WHAT?

DO YOU
HAVE SOME
DIRT YOU'D
LIKE TO
SHARE WITH
US?



WHAT
DOES SHE
HAVE IN
THERE?

WHAT DOES
SHE HAVE IN
THERE?

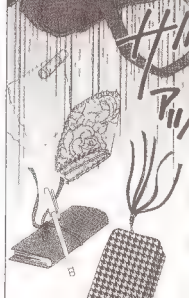


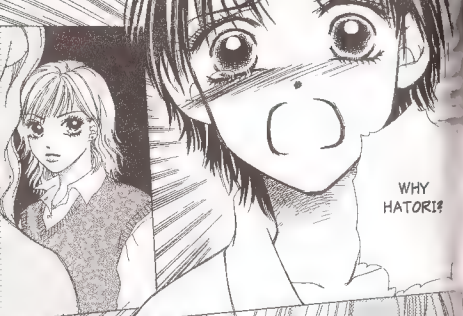
I FOUND
HER
WALLET!

HE WAS
ONLY GOING
TO WASTE IT
ANYWAY, SO
HE MIGHT AS
WELL SPEND IT
FOR HER!

LET'S
GO HAVE SOME
FUN!

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WHY
HATORI?



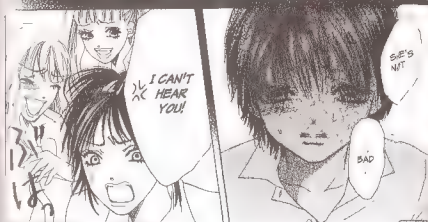
BECAUSE
SHE
PISSES
US OFF.



WHAT?

SUCH
A BAD
PERSON

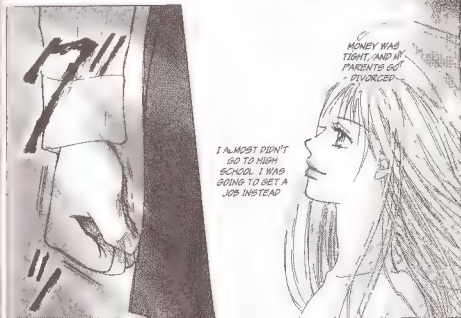
SHE'S
NOT



I CAN'T
HEAR
YOU!

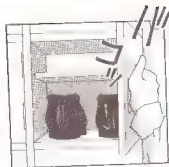
SHE'S
NOT

BAD

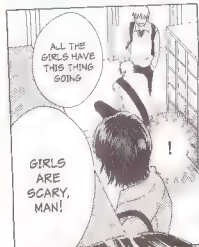
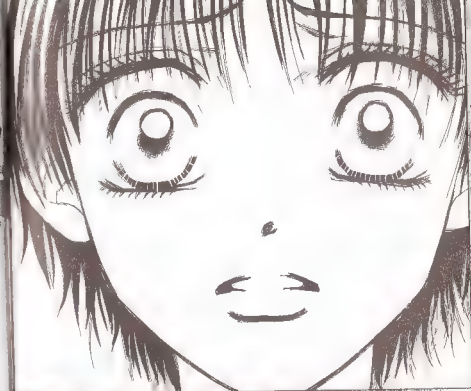


MONEY WAS
TIGHT, AND MY
PARENTS GOT
DIVORCED

I ALMOST DIDN'T
GO TO HIGH
SCHOOL. I WAS
GOING TO GET A
JOB INSTEAD

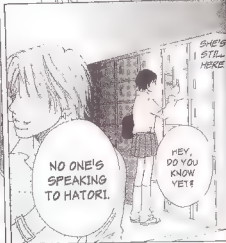


I FORGOT
TO GIVE
THIS BACK
TO HER



ALL THE
GIRLS HAVE
THIS THING
GOING

GIRLS
ARE
SCARY,
MAN!



SHE'S
STILL
HERE

NO ONE'S
SPEAKING
TO HATORI.

HEY,
DO YOU
KNOW
YET?



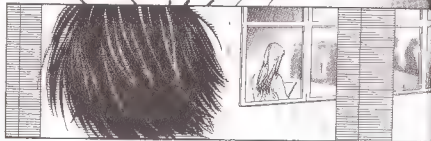
I THINK IT ALL
STARTED WITH
THAT THING...

OH YEAH.
AT CAMP.





AND I
COULDN'T
EVEN
DEFEND
HER!



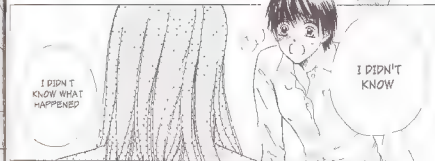
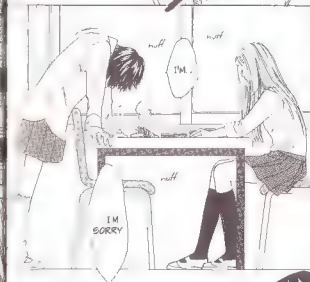
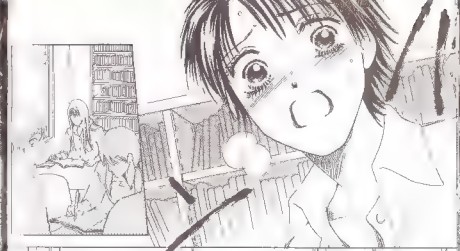
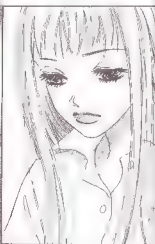
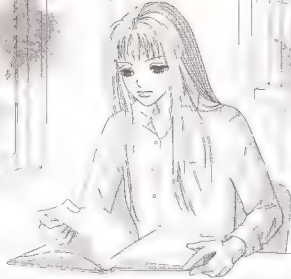
HATORI DUMPED
A BUCKET OF
WATER ON THEM!

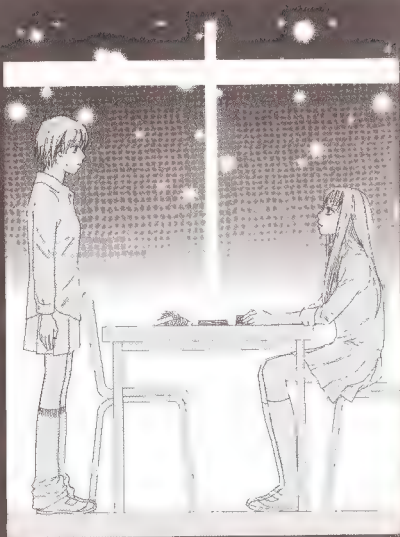
YEAH, SHE WAS
PISSED THAT
THEY LEFT YOU
TO CLEAN UP
THE KITCHEN
BY YOURSELF!



THIS IS ALL
MY FAULT.

I DIDN'T
KNOW!

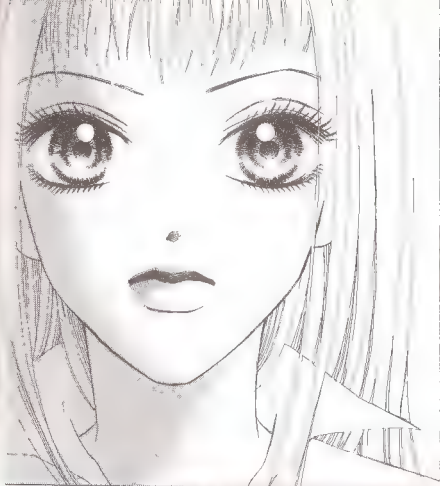




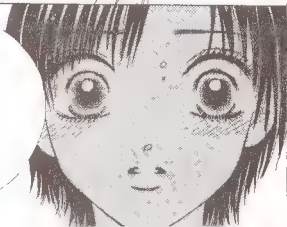
...TO
TALK TO
MAYOR


...HAVE
ANY IDEA

DON'T



LOWER
YOUR
VOICE.





I WANT
TO GET
STRONGER!
YEAH, RIGHT!

THERE'S NO
WAY THAT'LL
EVER HAPPEN!



I WAS
STUPID.



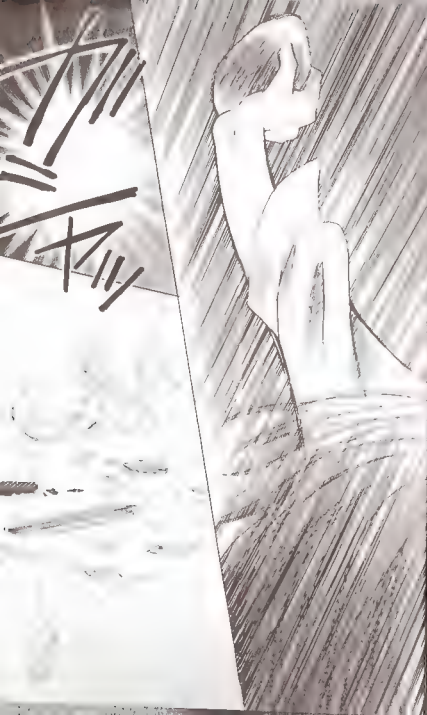
WHY DON'T
YOU COME ON
IN?



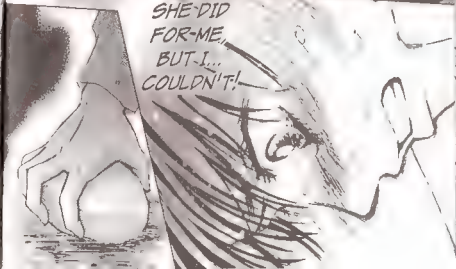
THIS IS
THE REAL
THING.

DON'T
BETRAY
US OKAY?





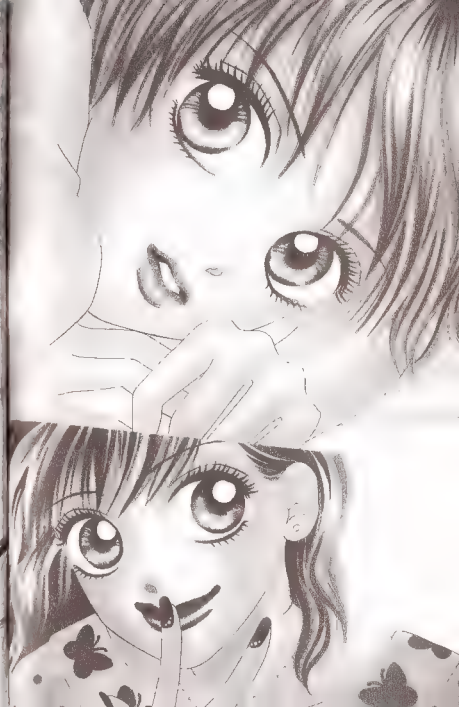
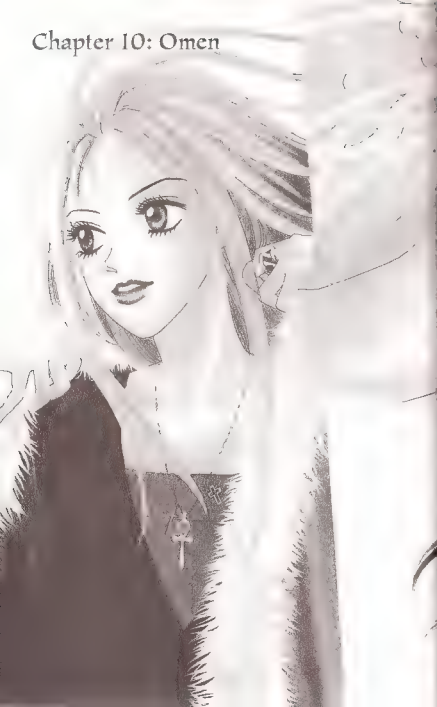
I DID
STAND UP
FOR HER.



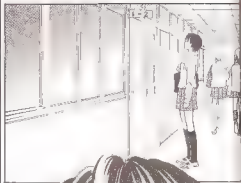
SHE DID
FOR ME,
BUT I...
COULDN'T!



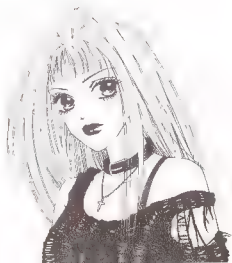
Chapter 10: Omen

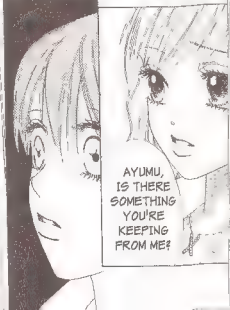
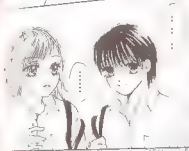
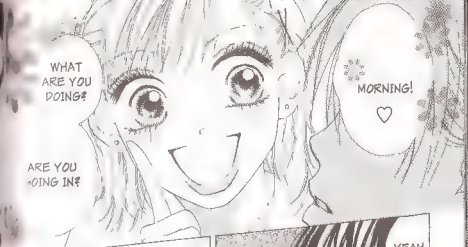


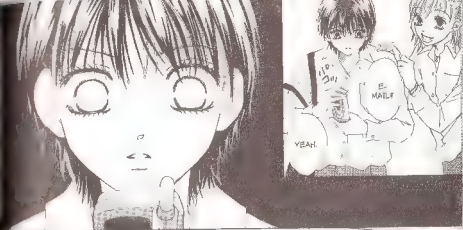
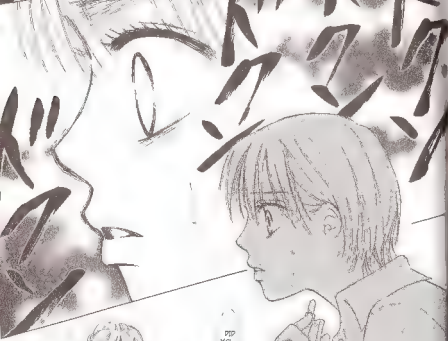
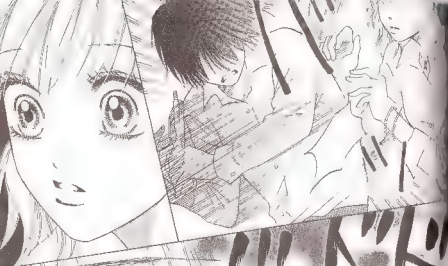
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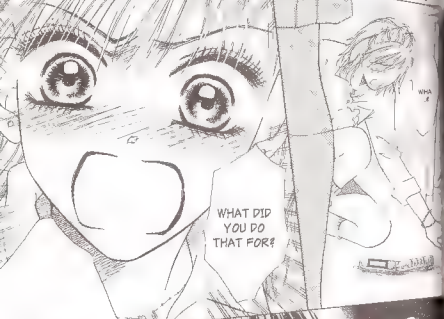
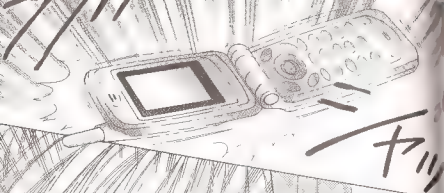






Good morning! ♡



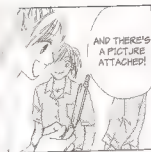


WHAT DID
YOU DO
THAT FOR?

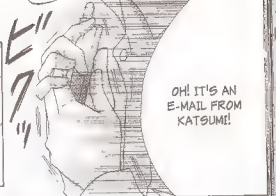
THAT PHONE
WAS A
GIFT FROM
KATSUMI!



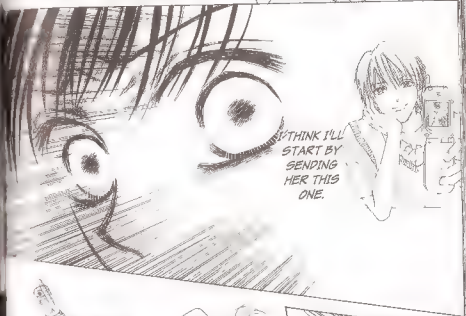
THEY WERE
A PAIR!



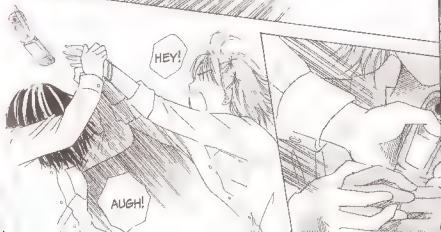
AND THERE'S
A PICTURE
ATTACHED!



OH! IT'S AN
E-MAIL FROM
KATSUMI!

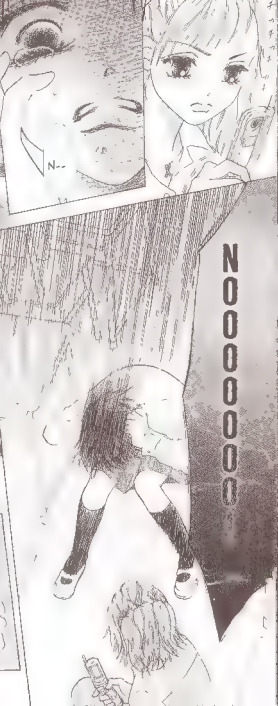
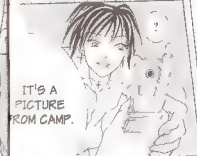
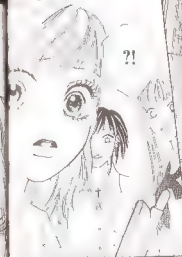
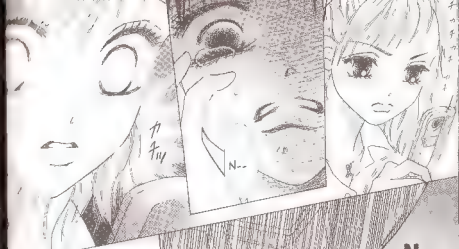
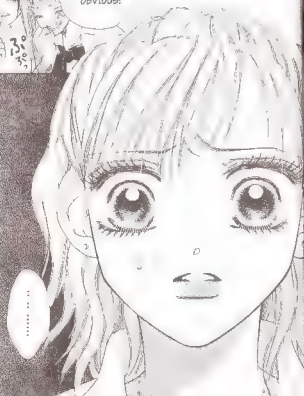
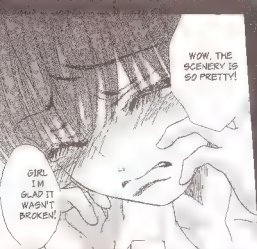


I THINK I'LL
START BY
SENDING
HER THIS
ONE.



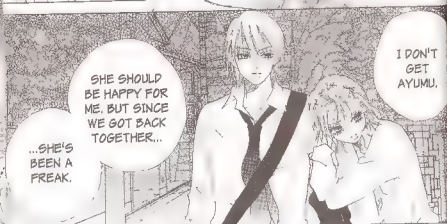
HEY!

AUGH!





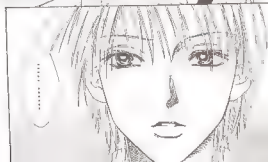
DO YOU
BELIEVE
THAT
KATSUMI
IS A GOOD
PERSON?



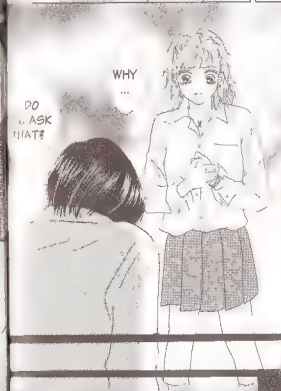
SHE SHOULD
BE HAPPY FOR
ME, BUT SINCE
WE GOT BACK
TOGETHER...

...SHE'S
BEEN A
FREAK.

I DON'T
GET
AYUMI.



SHE ASKED ME
TODAY IF I THOUGHT
YOU WERE A GOOD
PERSON.

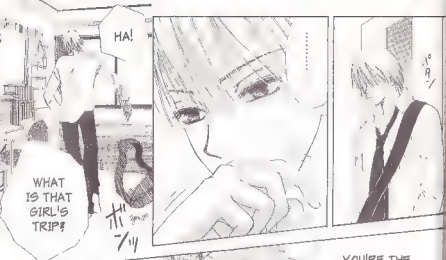


WHY
...

DO
ASK
THAT?



WH--



WHAT
IS THAT
GIRL'S
TRIP?

HA!

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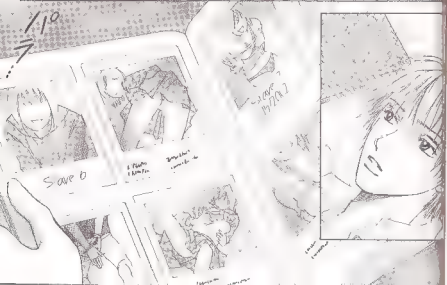
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YOU'RE THE
ONLY ONE FOR
ME, BABY,
BECAUSE IF YOU
WEREN'T, MY OLD
MAN'S COMPANY
WOULD BE IN BIG
TROUBLE.

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I THINK THAT
AYUMU MIGHT
LIKE YOU
KATSUMI!

I--

SO?
WHAT DO YOU
THINK?

DO YOU
THINK I'M
RIGHT?

I MEAN, I'M THE
ONLY ONE FOR
YOU. RIGHT
KATSUMI?

YES, I'M
BUSY
HORRY

DO YOU
REALLY
HAVE TO
GO?

OF
COURSE!

DID THE
E-MAIL
SURPRISE
YOU?

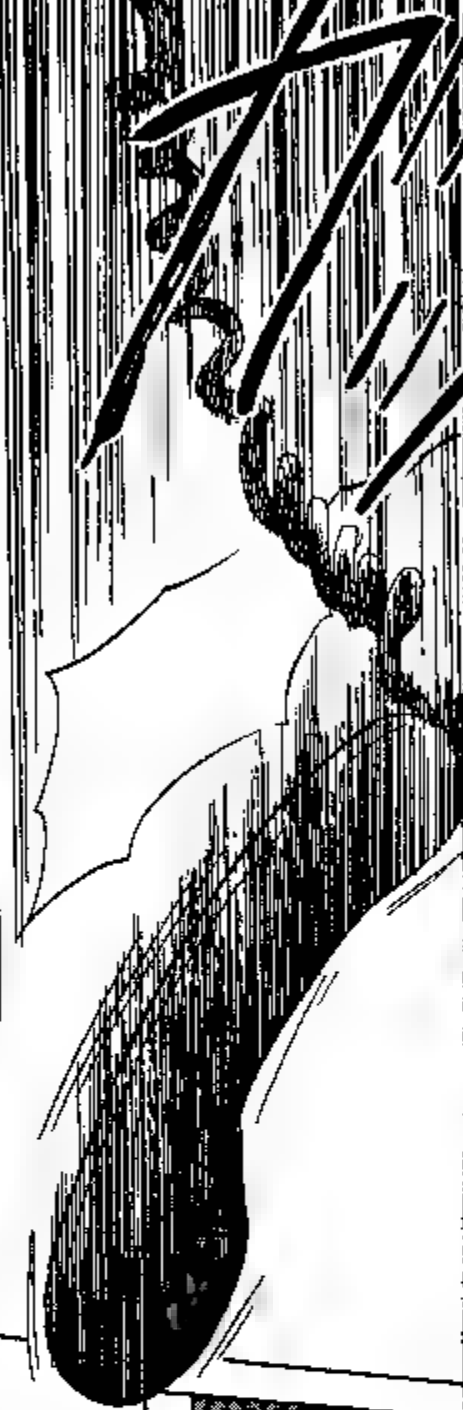
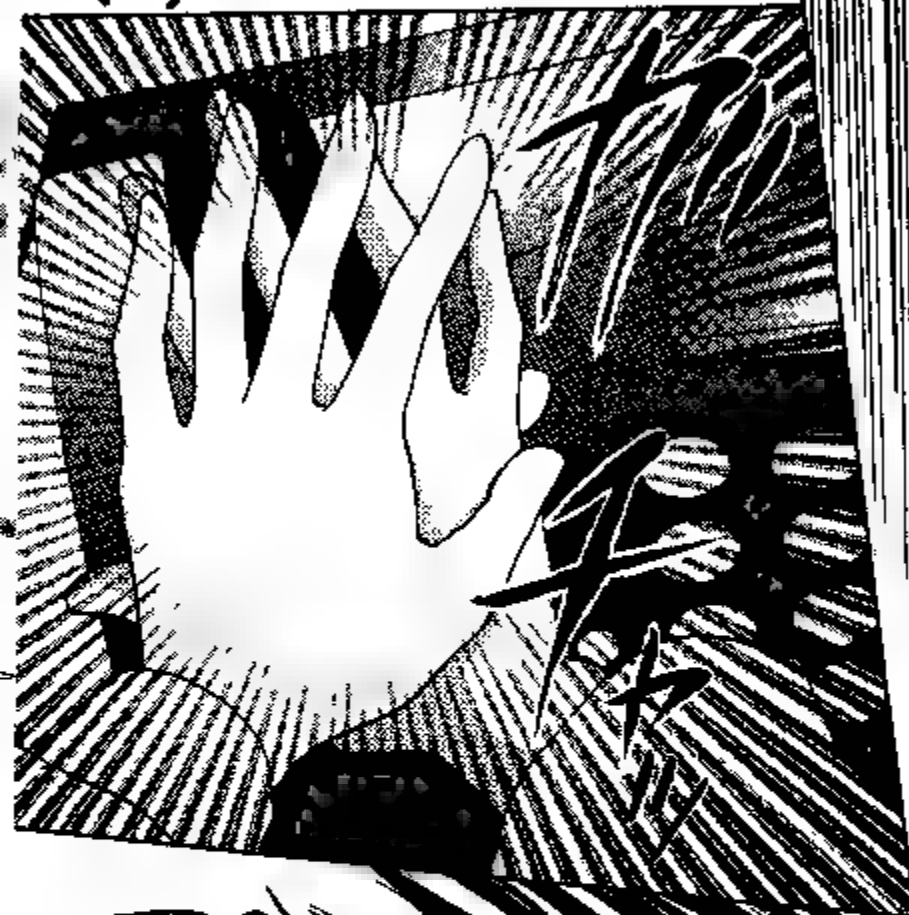
HEH
HEH
HEH.



sigh



sheer



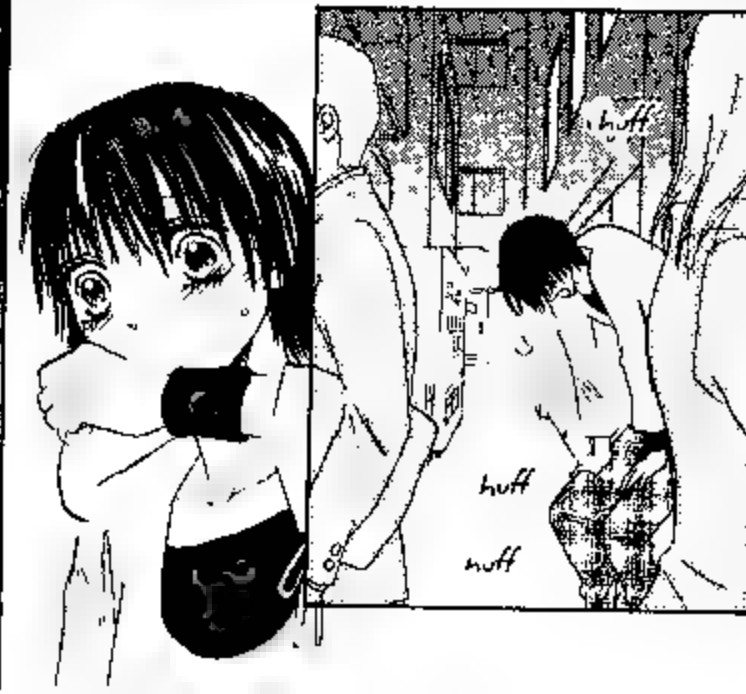
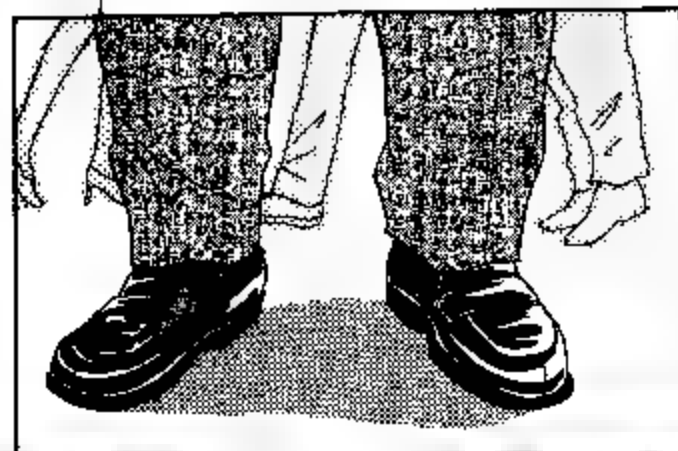
IT'S YOUR
MASTER.

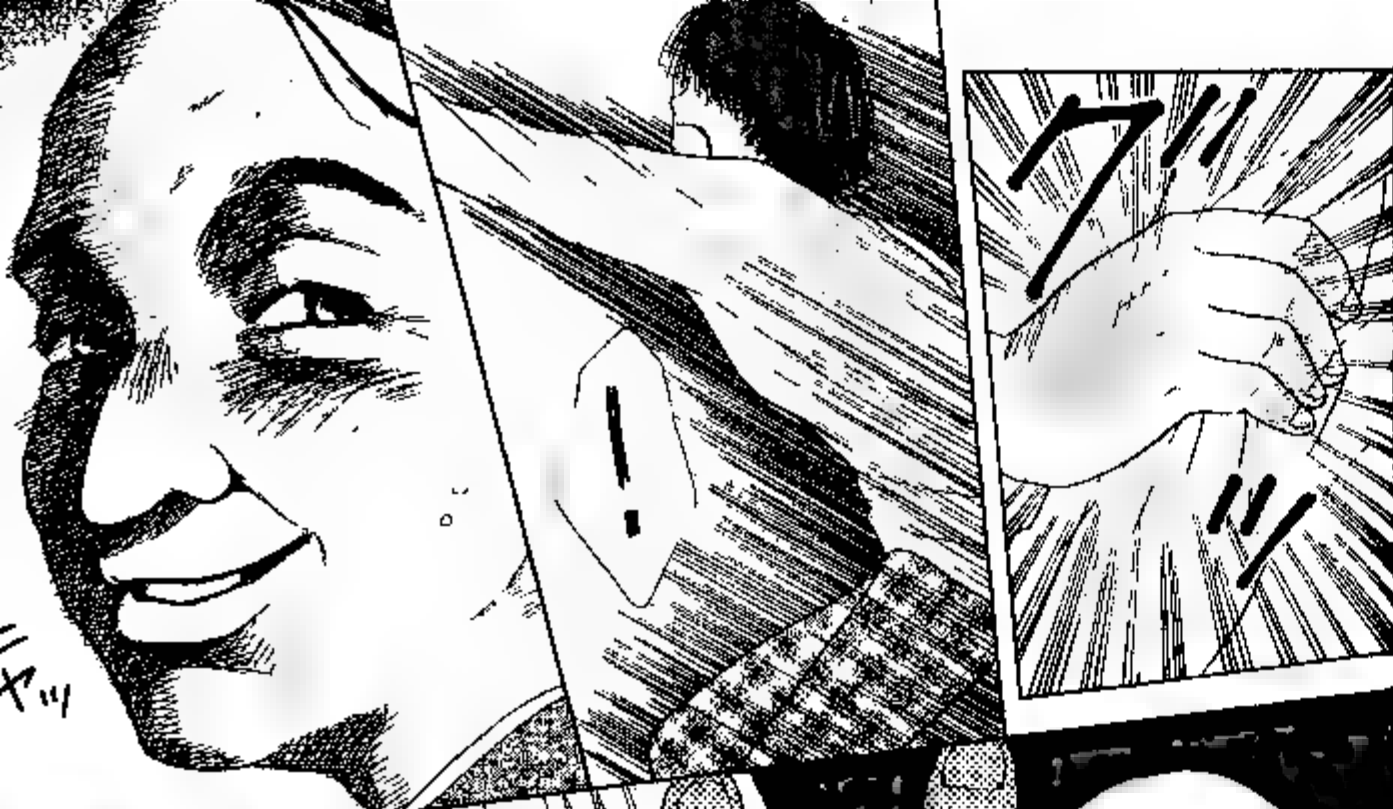
HELLO?



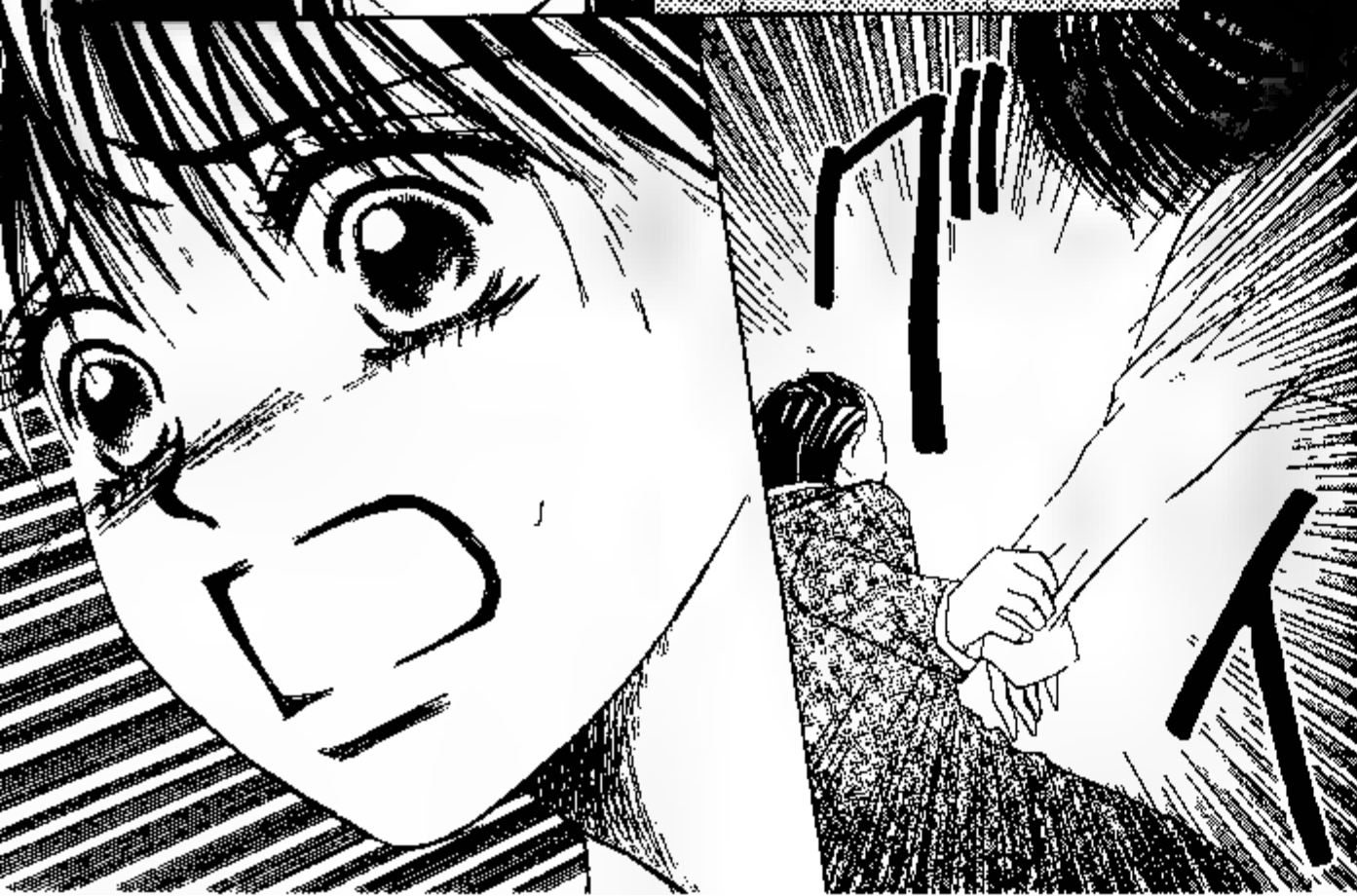
HELLO?
MOM?







HOW ABOUT
20,000 YEN?



phew

HE
SMELLS
LIKE
BEER.

UM,
YES.

ARE YOU
A HIGH
SCHOOL
STUDENT?

HEY!
HOW ARE
YOU?



oops!



sorry!

NO!







YES.
BUT YOU'LL
GET BURNED!



Waaugh!

Fire!
My hair!



OH, I'M
SORRY.



W...

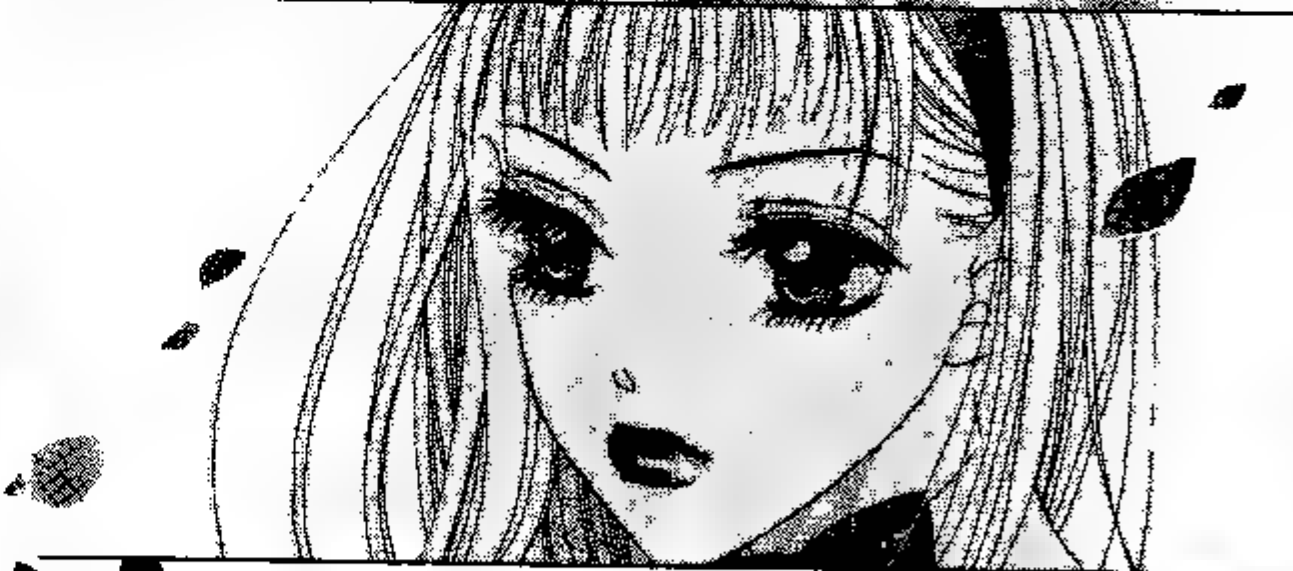
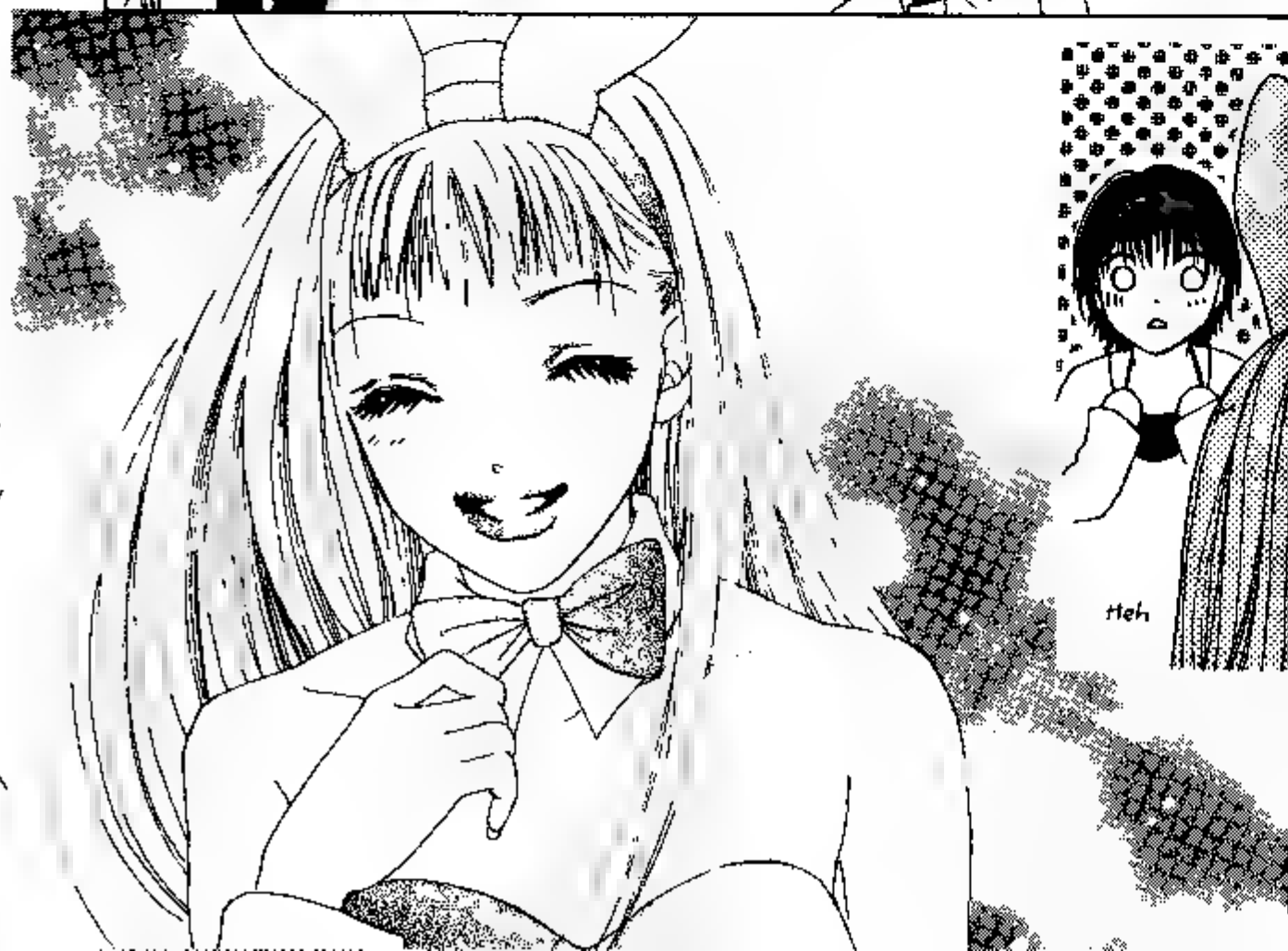
WHOAAA!

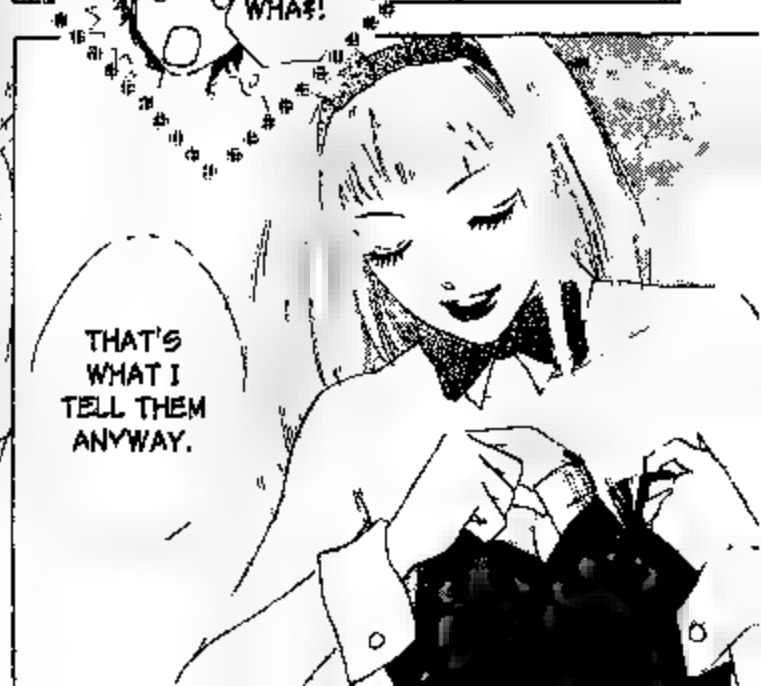
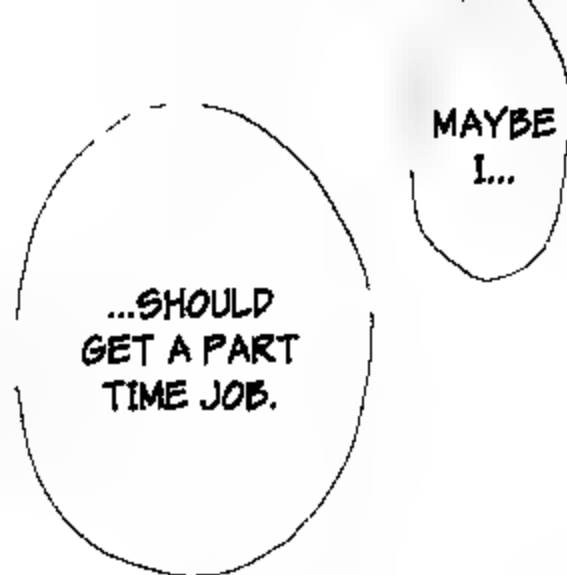
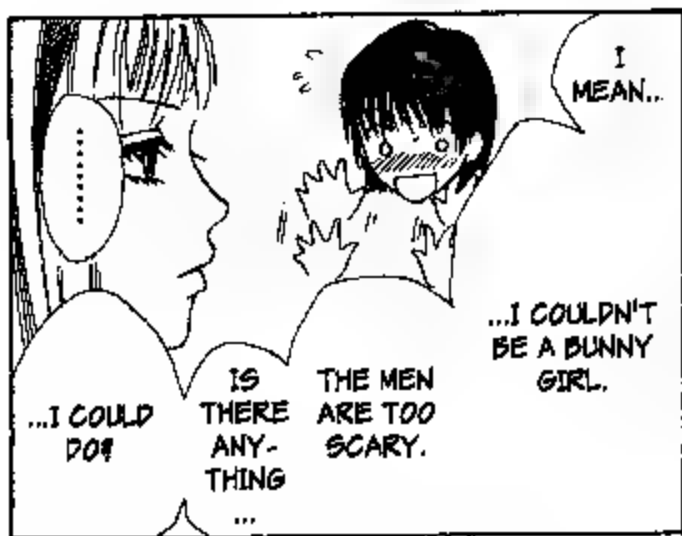
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ARE
CUST-
OMERS
ALLOWED
TO TOUCH?

I LOVE
GIRLS IN
BUNNY
OUTFITS!
WHAT KIND
OF PLACE IS
THIS?







Heh Heh



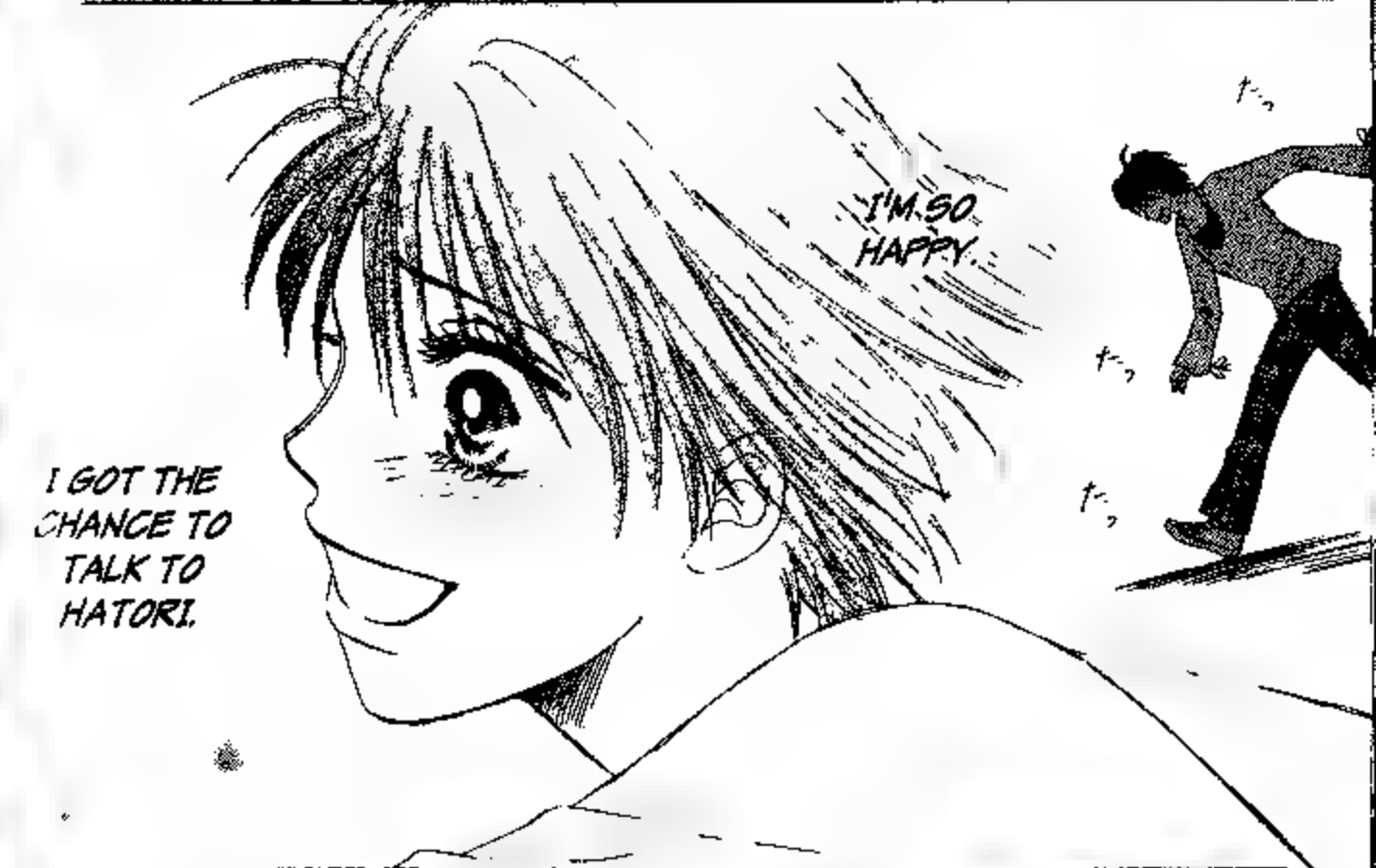
I WONDER
IF I SHOULD
FOCUS ON
SCHOOL
INSTEAD OF
WORK.



DID YOU GO
COME ALL
THIS WAY
JUST TO
SEE ME?



THANK
YOU.



I'M SO
HAPPY.

I GOT THE
CHANCE TO
TALK TO
HATORI.



I WONDER
WHAT I CAN
DO.

I WANT TO DO
SOMETHING,
TOO.

Sign: Masaki Gaku School



SOMETHING
ABOUT
WHETHER OR
NOT..

..I'M A
GOOD
PERSON?



...DID YOU
TALK TO
MANAMI
ABOUT
ME?



...UH



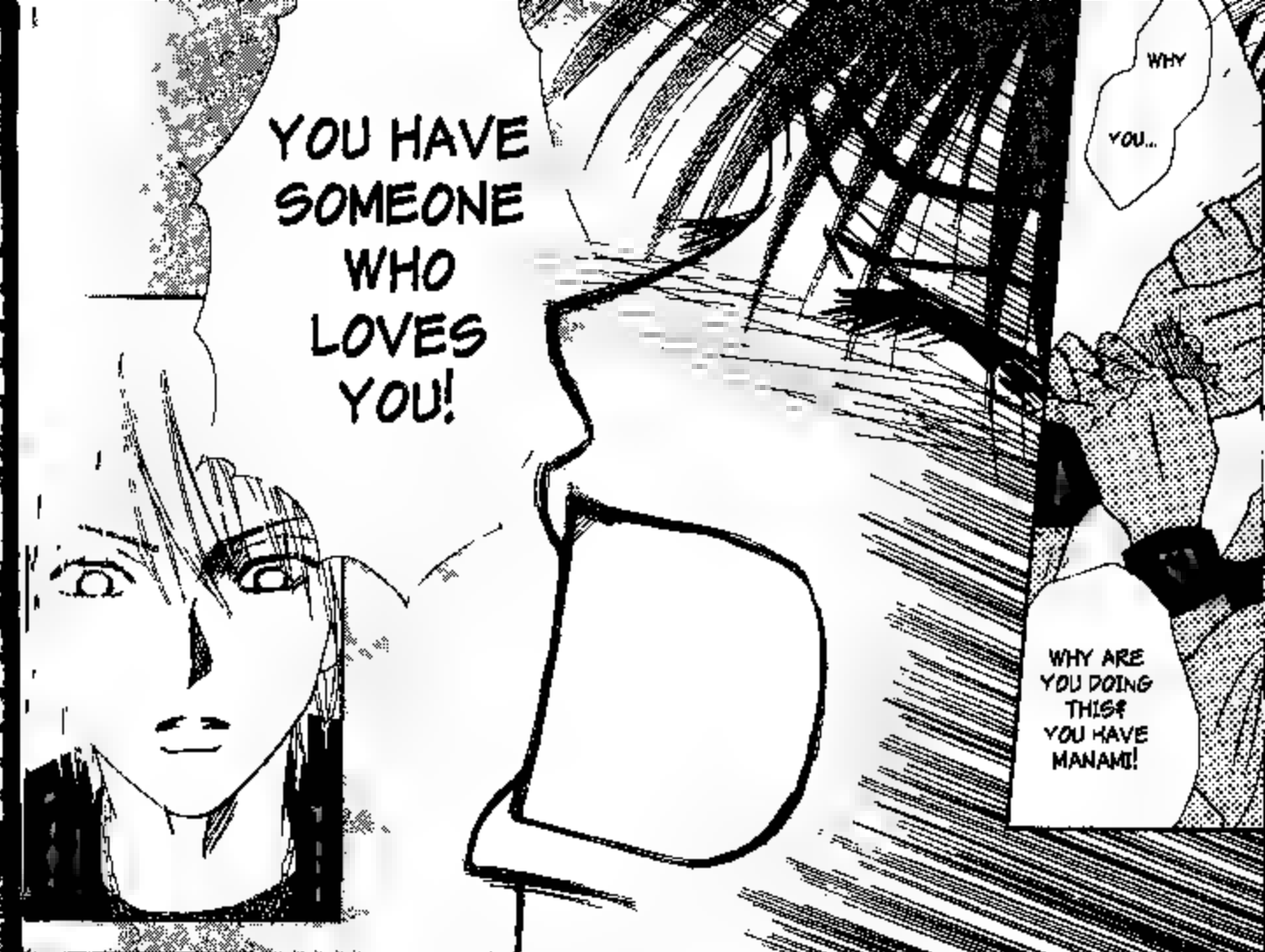
IS THAT
WHAT YOUR
PRETTY
LITTLE
MOUTH
SAID?



I AM NOT
YOUR
SLAVE!



THAT'S
QUITE A
FIESTY
FACE...
FOR A
SLAVE.





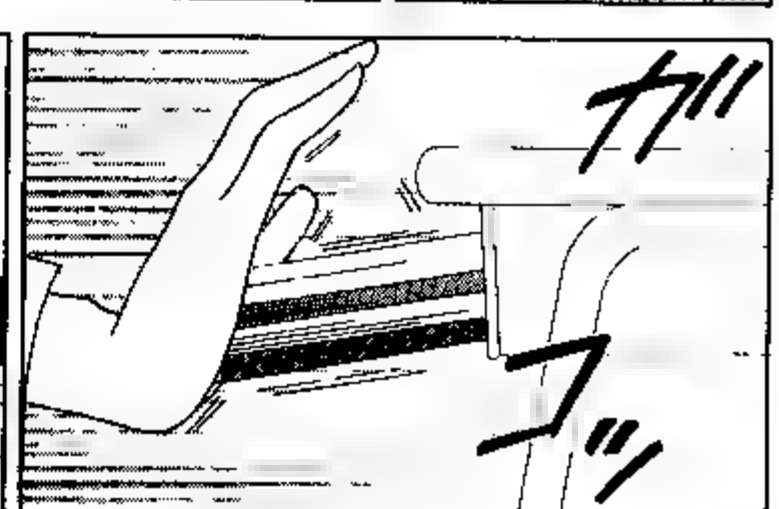
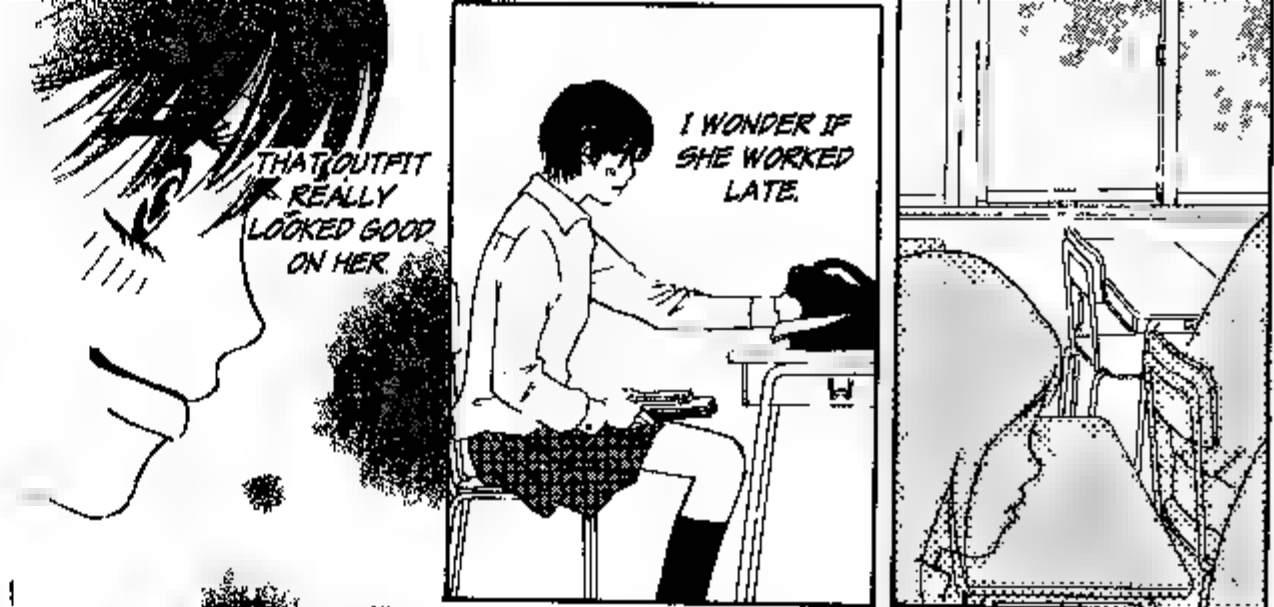
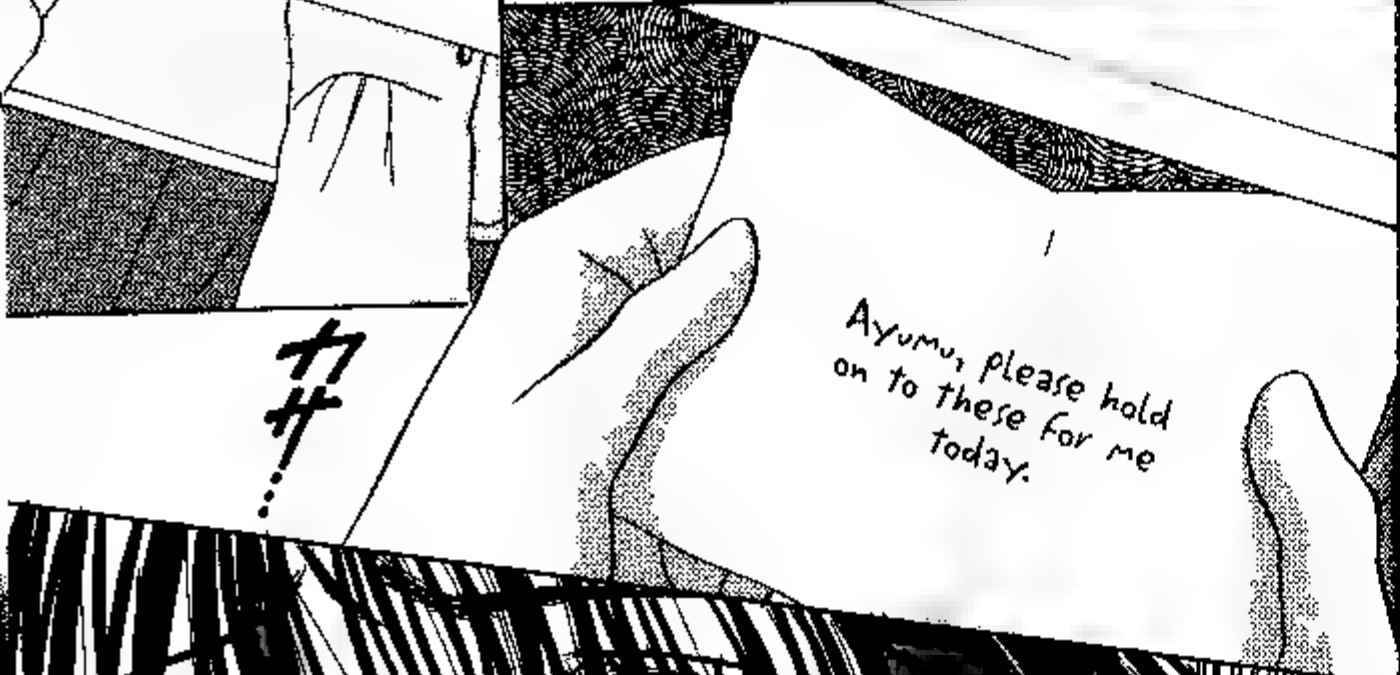
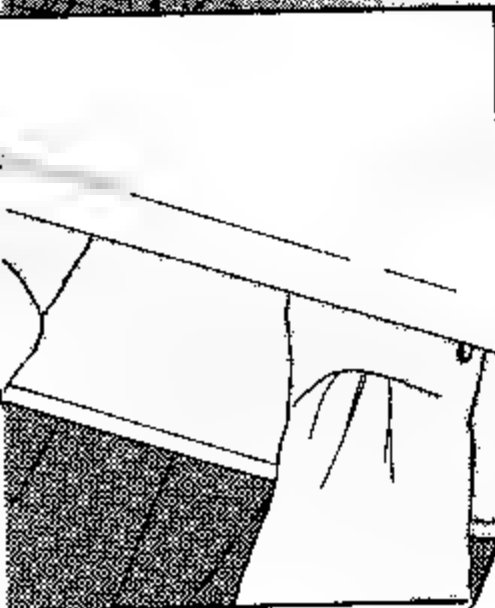
OOH, I
THINK I
LIKE IT
WHEN SHE
FIGHTS
BACK.



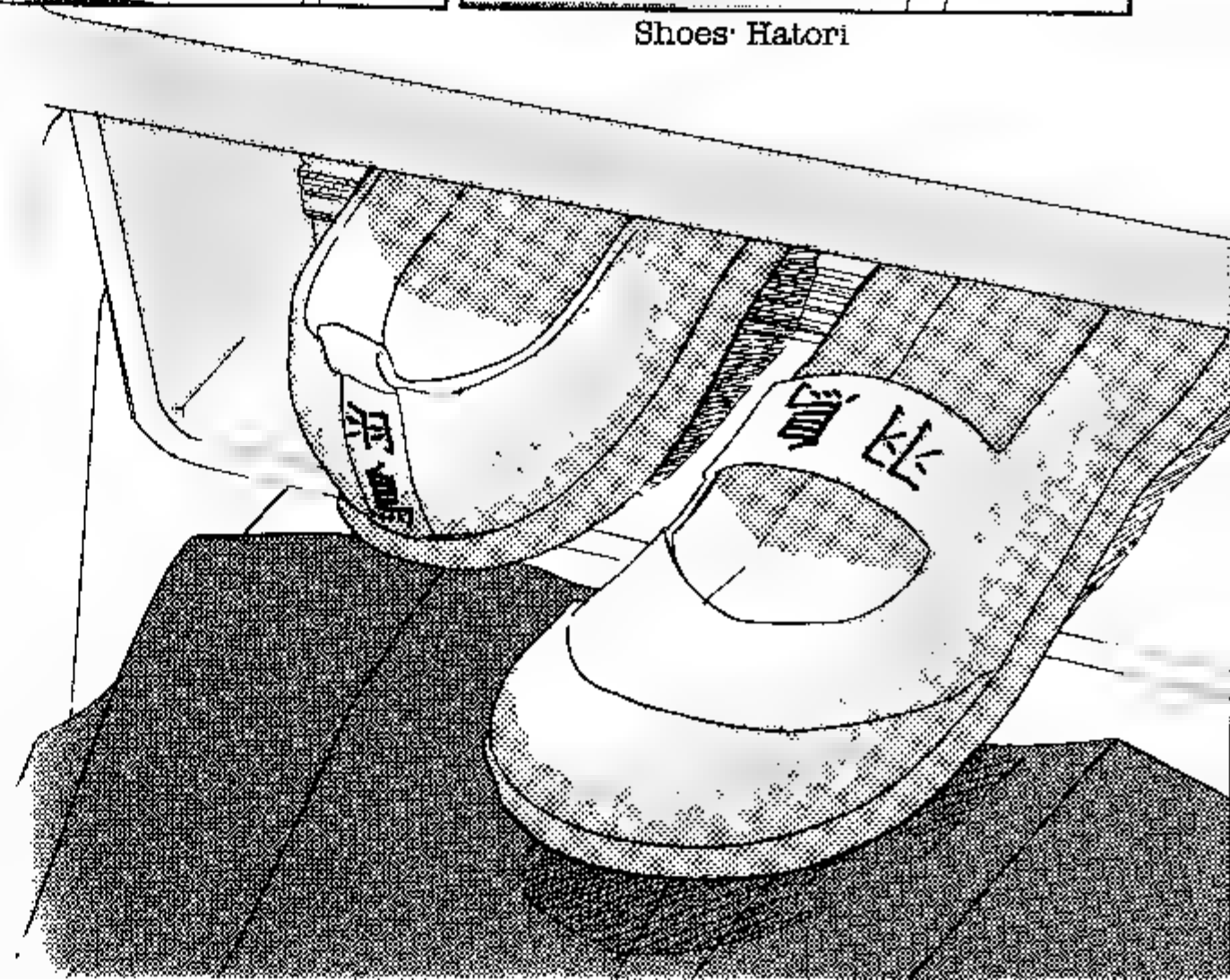
WHAT I
DON'T
WANT...

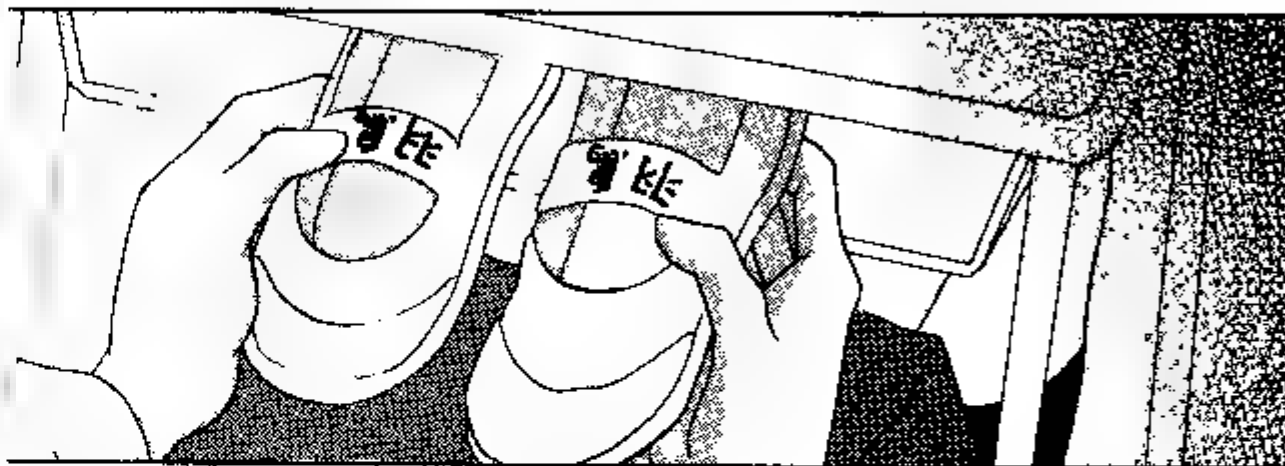
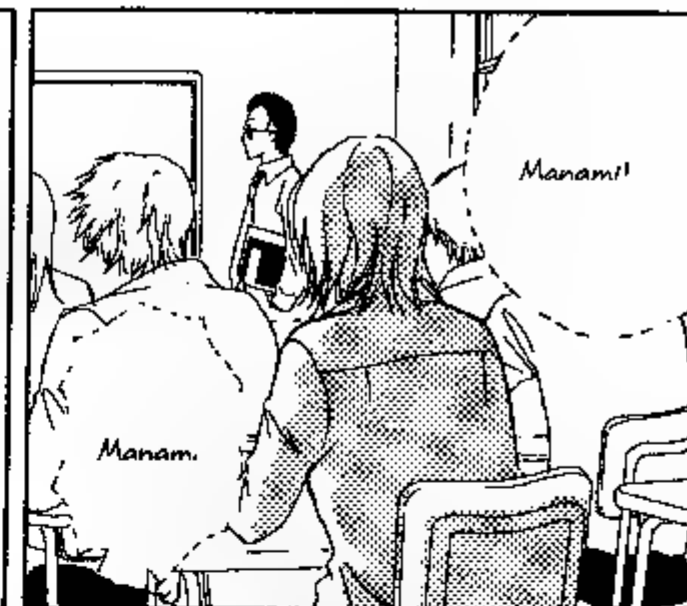
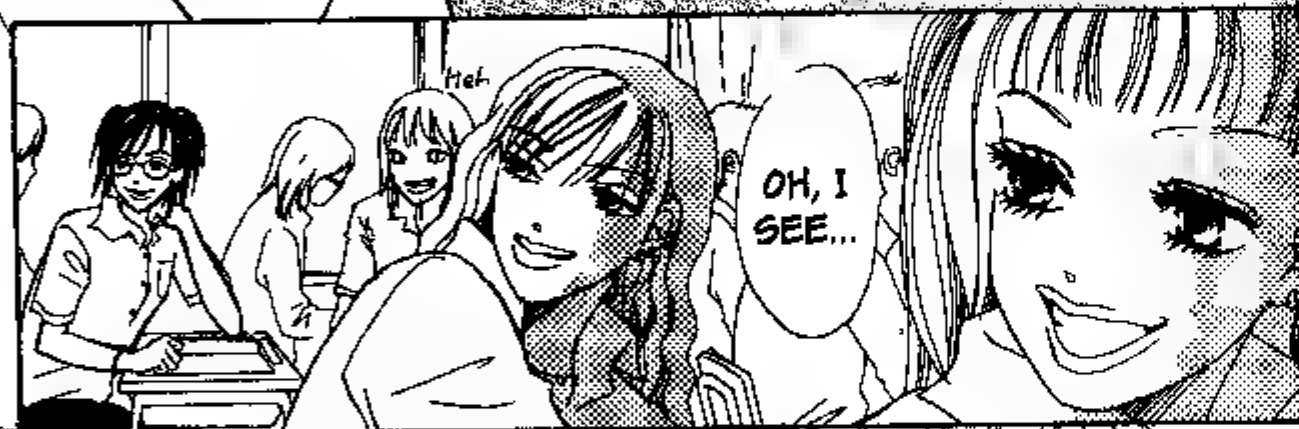
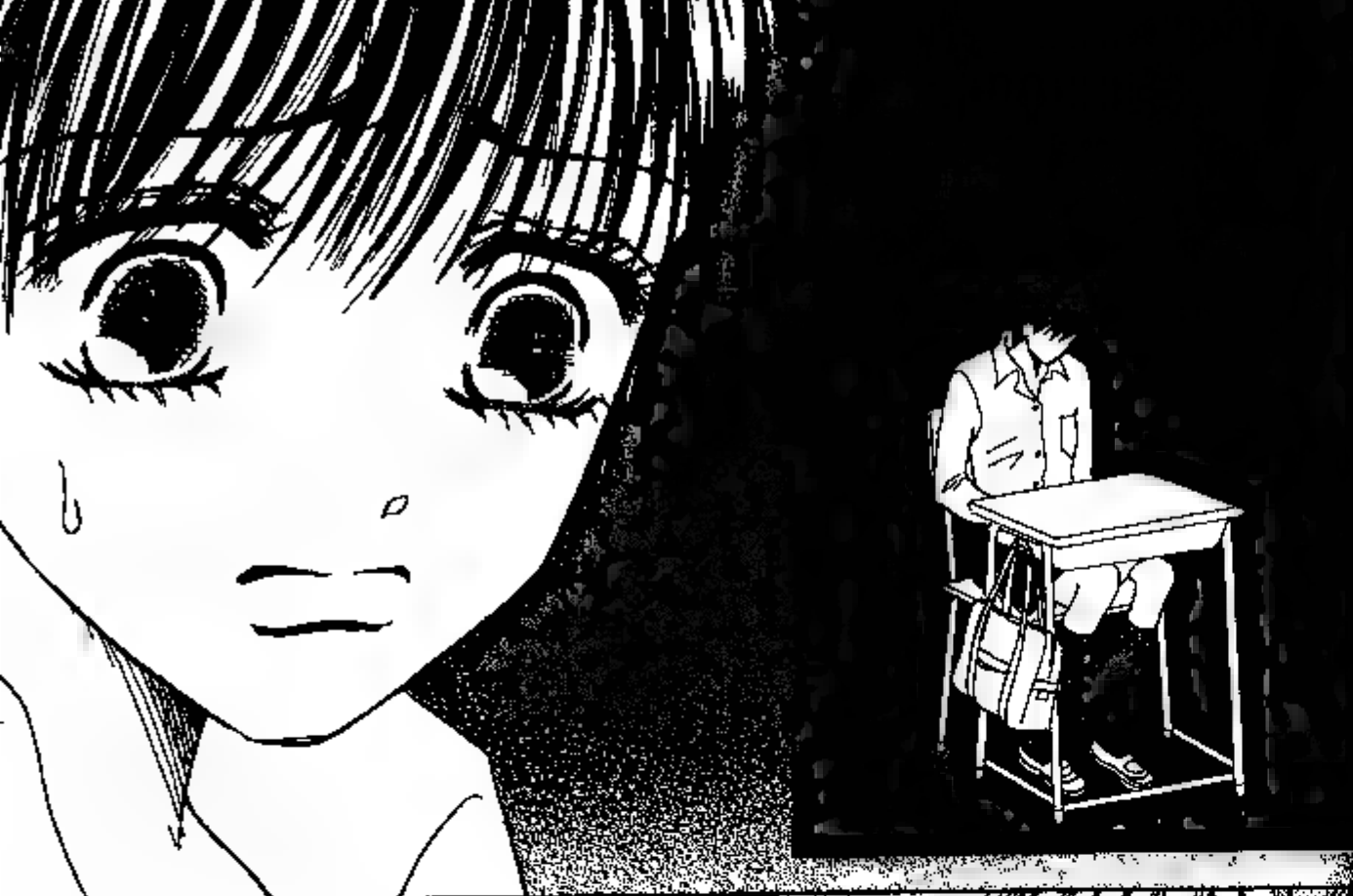
...IS
TO BE
AFRAID
OF HIM
FOR-
EVER.

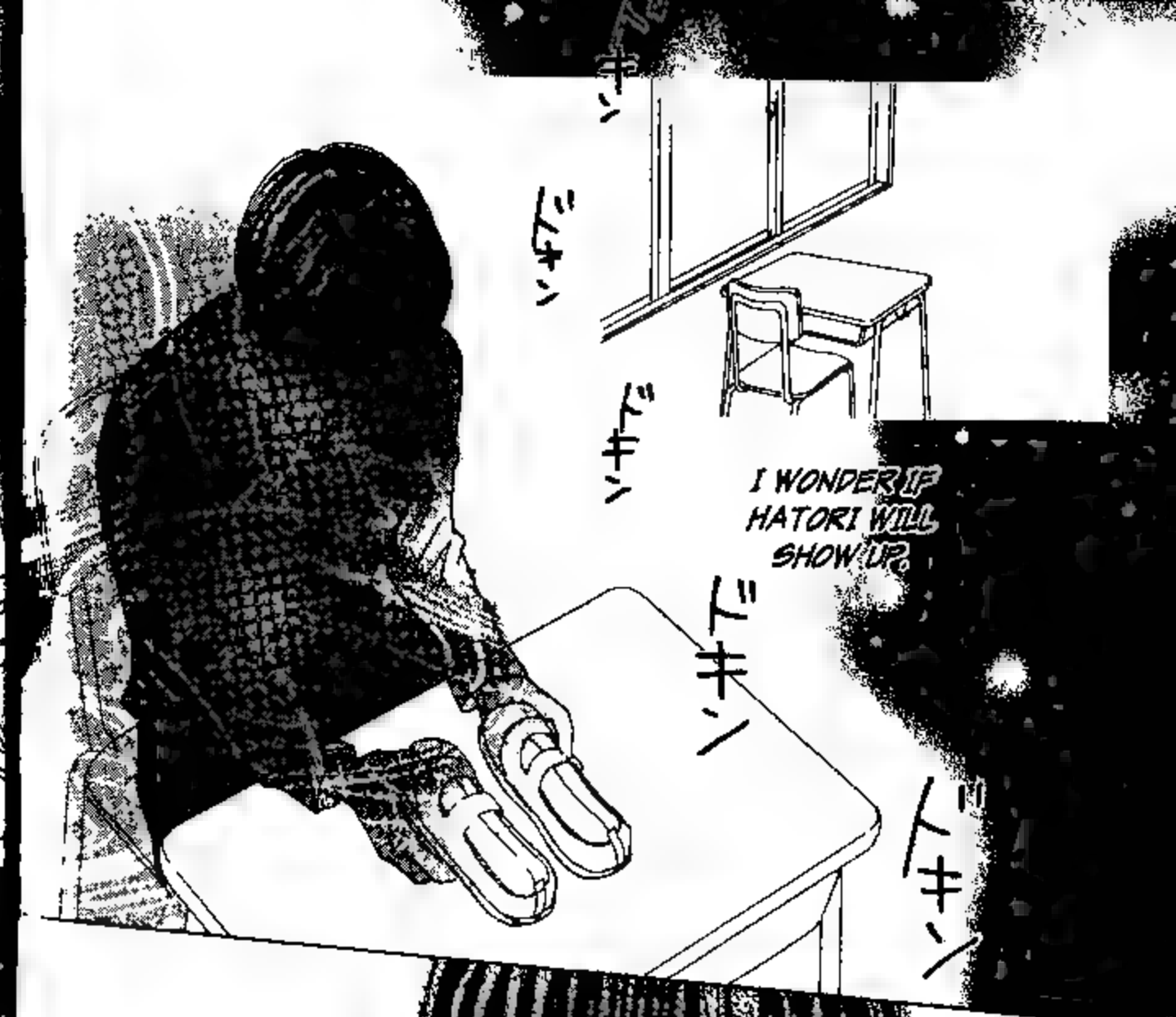
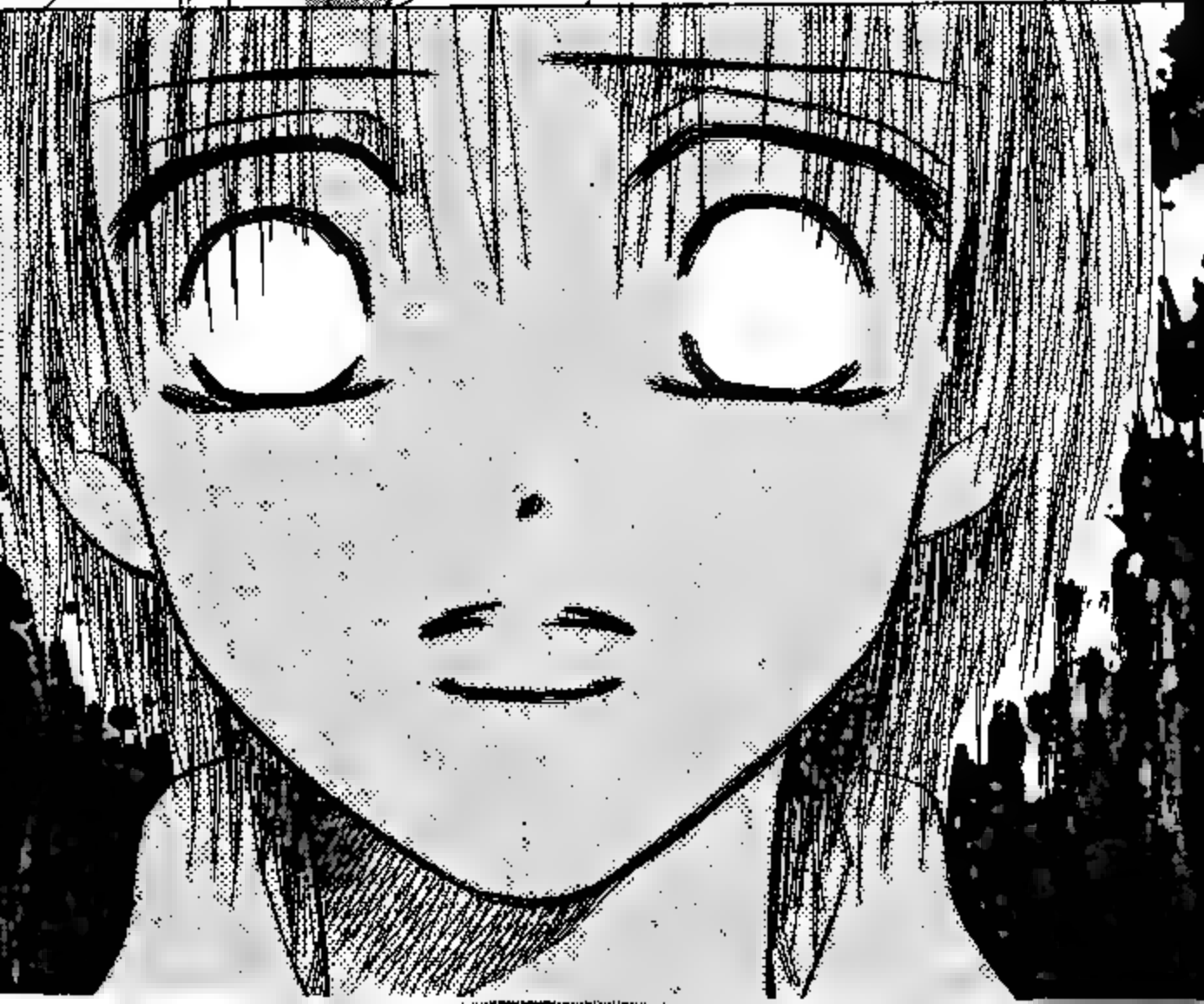
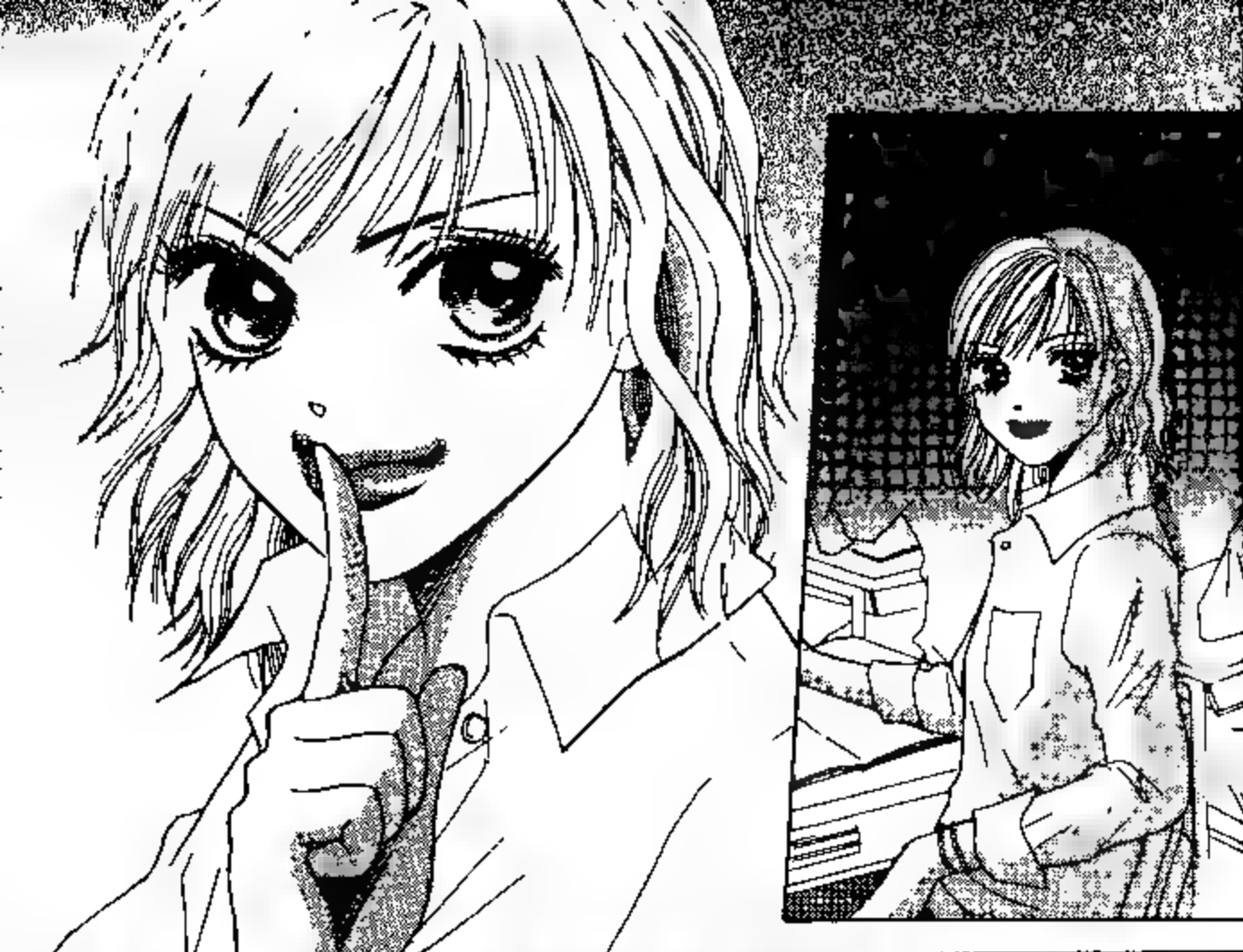




Shoes: Hatori









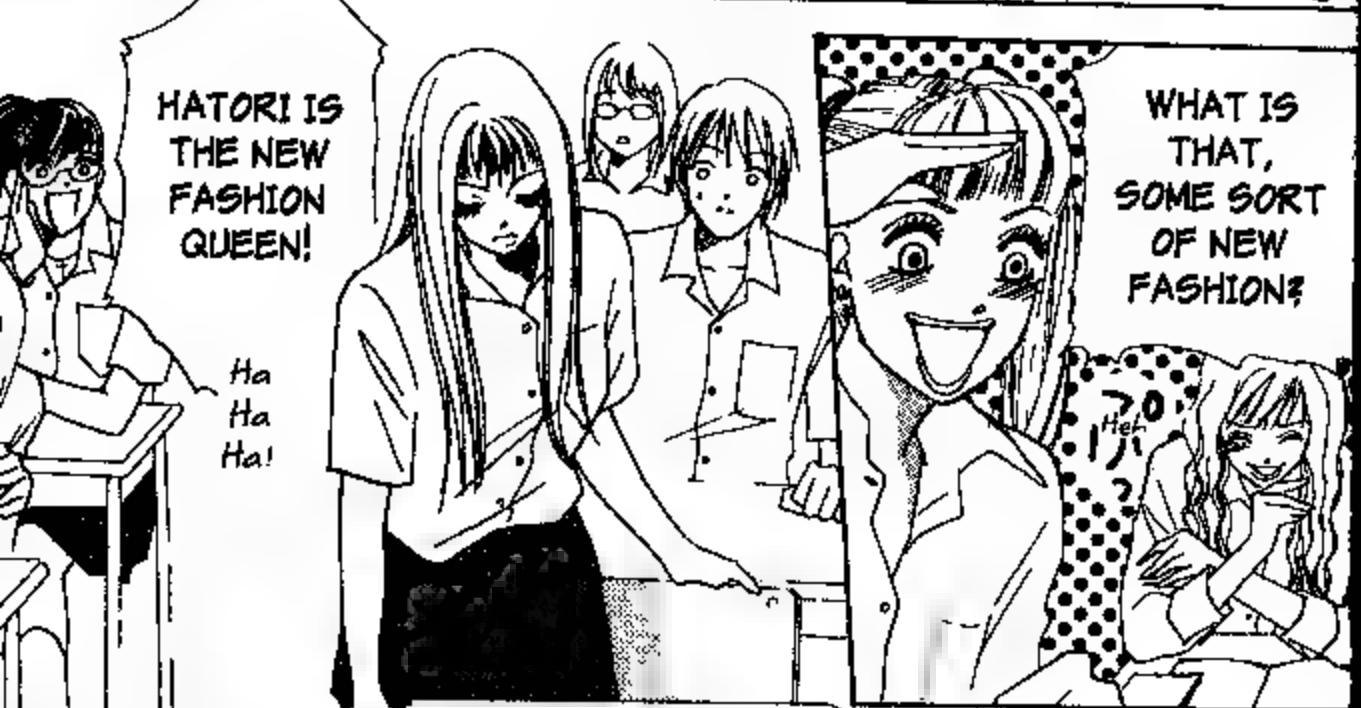
WHAT
SHOULD I
DO?





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Resolution

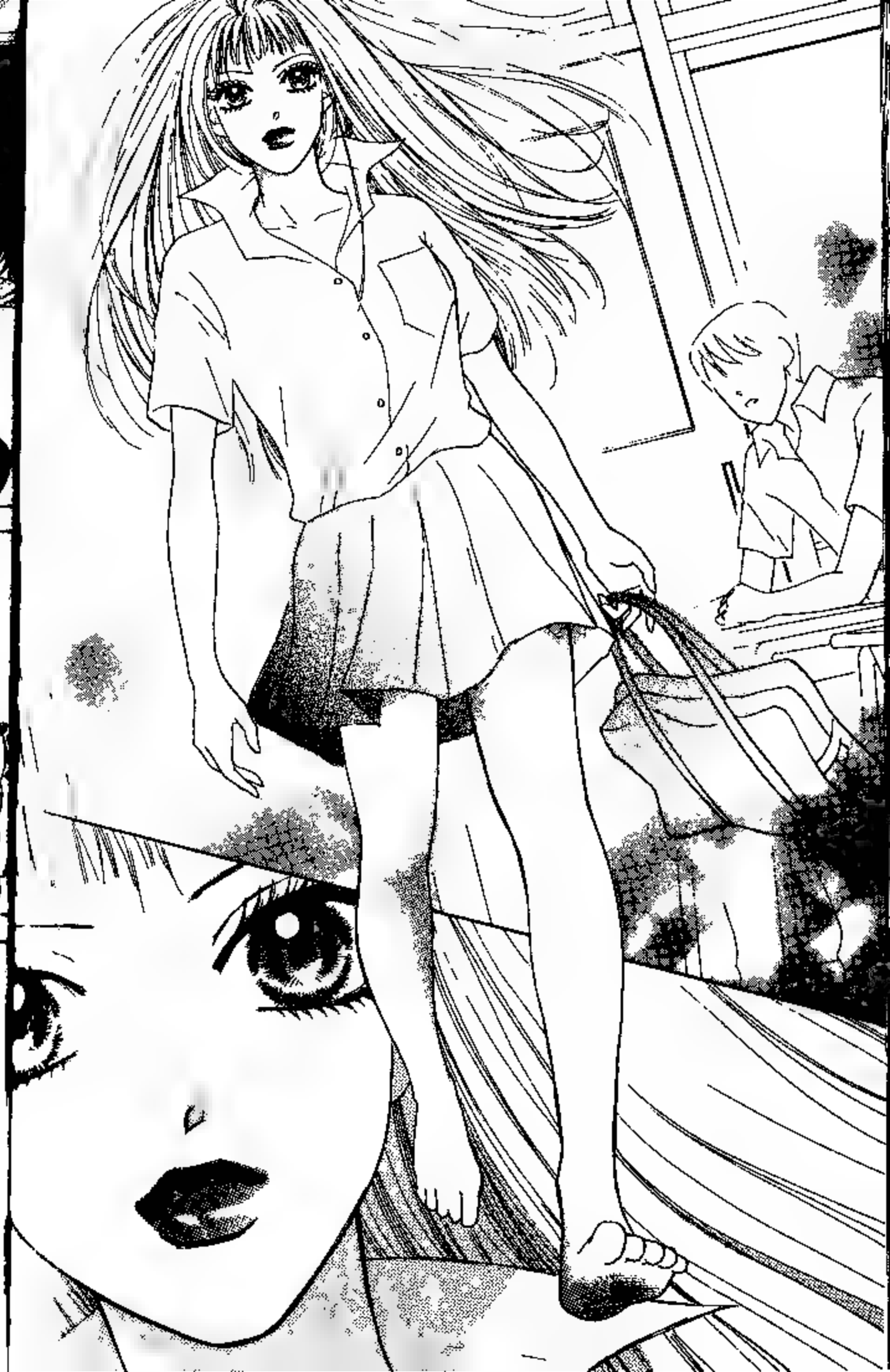


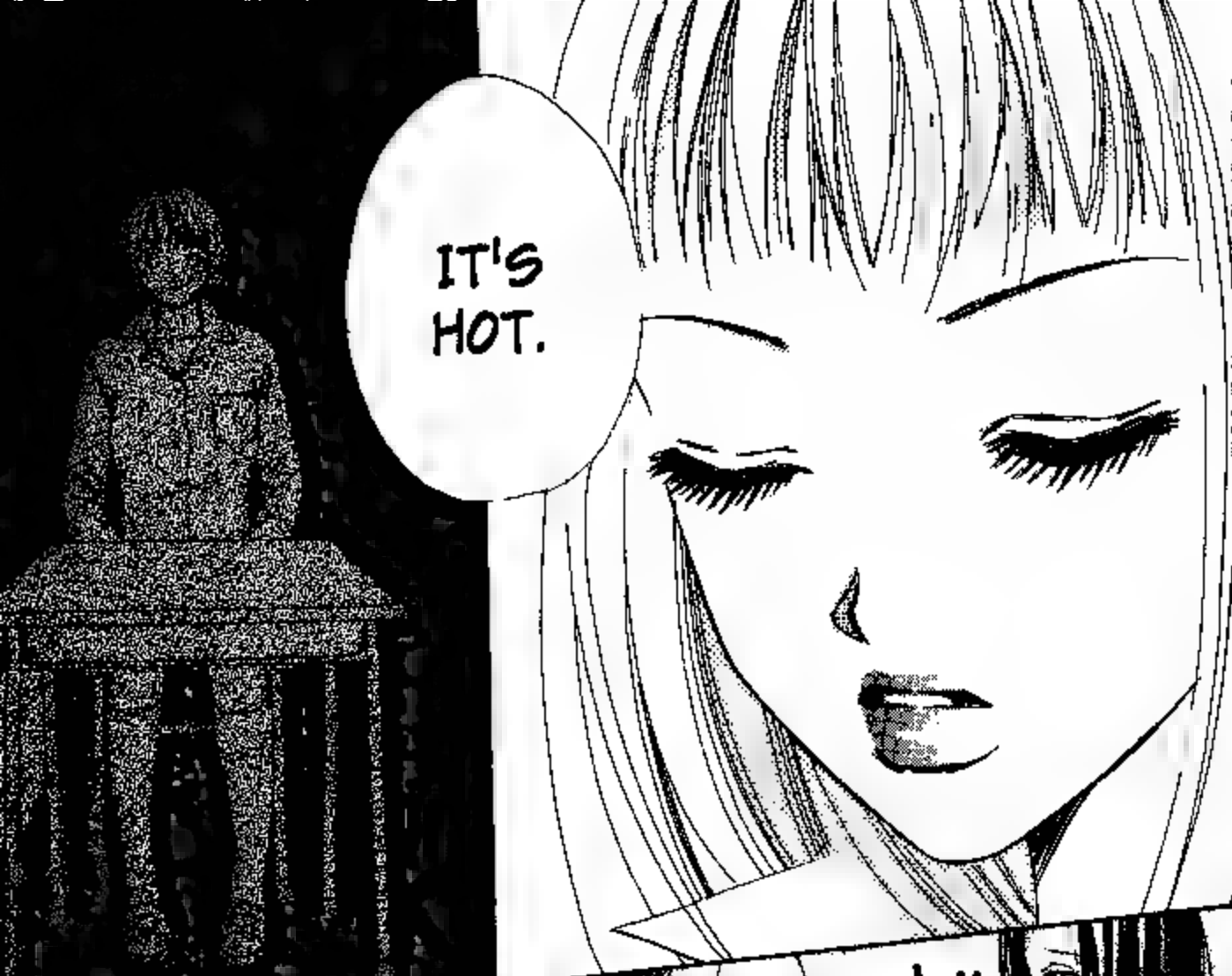


HATORI IS
THE NEW
FASHION
QUEEN!

Ha
Ha
Ha!

WHAT IS
THAT,
SOME SORT
OF NEW
FASHION?





IT'S HOT.



I'M TELLING YOU TO PUT YOUR SHOES ON!

THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT.



WHY AM I JUST SITTING HERE?

WHY?



Ayumu, please hold on to these for me today.

ギッ

ギッ



HEY, HATORI.

WE HAVE A DRESS CODE.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING BAREFOOT?

HURRY UP
AND PUT YOUR
SHOES ON,
HATORI!

GIVE ME
A BREAK

HATORI
IS SO NOT
COOL.

YEAH,
HOW
LAME.

SHE'S
COVERING
FOR ME...

BUT
I'M NOT
SAYING A
THING....

HEY LOOK,
AYUMU'S
GONE WHITE.

THINK
SHE'LL
CRACK

SHE
WON'T DO
ANYTHING.

...AND IT WILL
NOT CONTINUE
UNTIL HATORI
PUTS ON HER
SHOES.

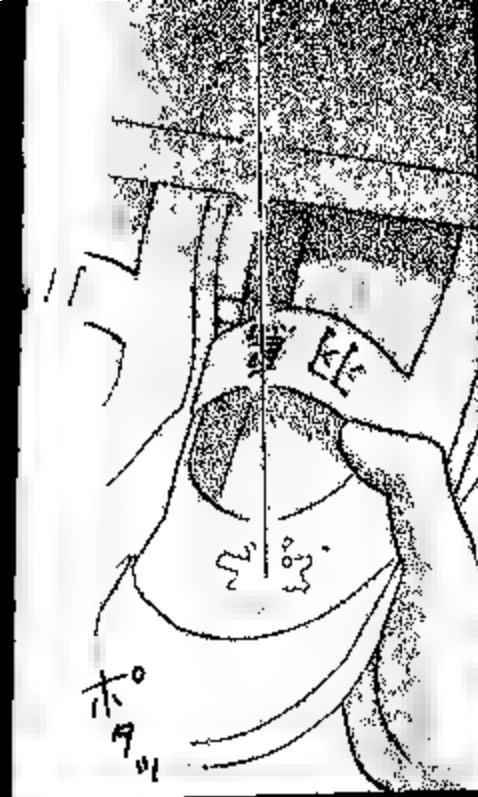
Whaaaat?

WHATEVER.
DO WHAT
YOU WANT.

THIS IS
THE MOST
IMPORTANT
CLASS OF THE
SEMESTER

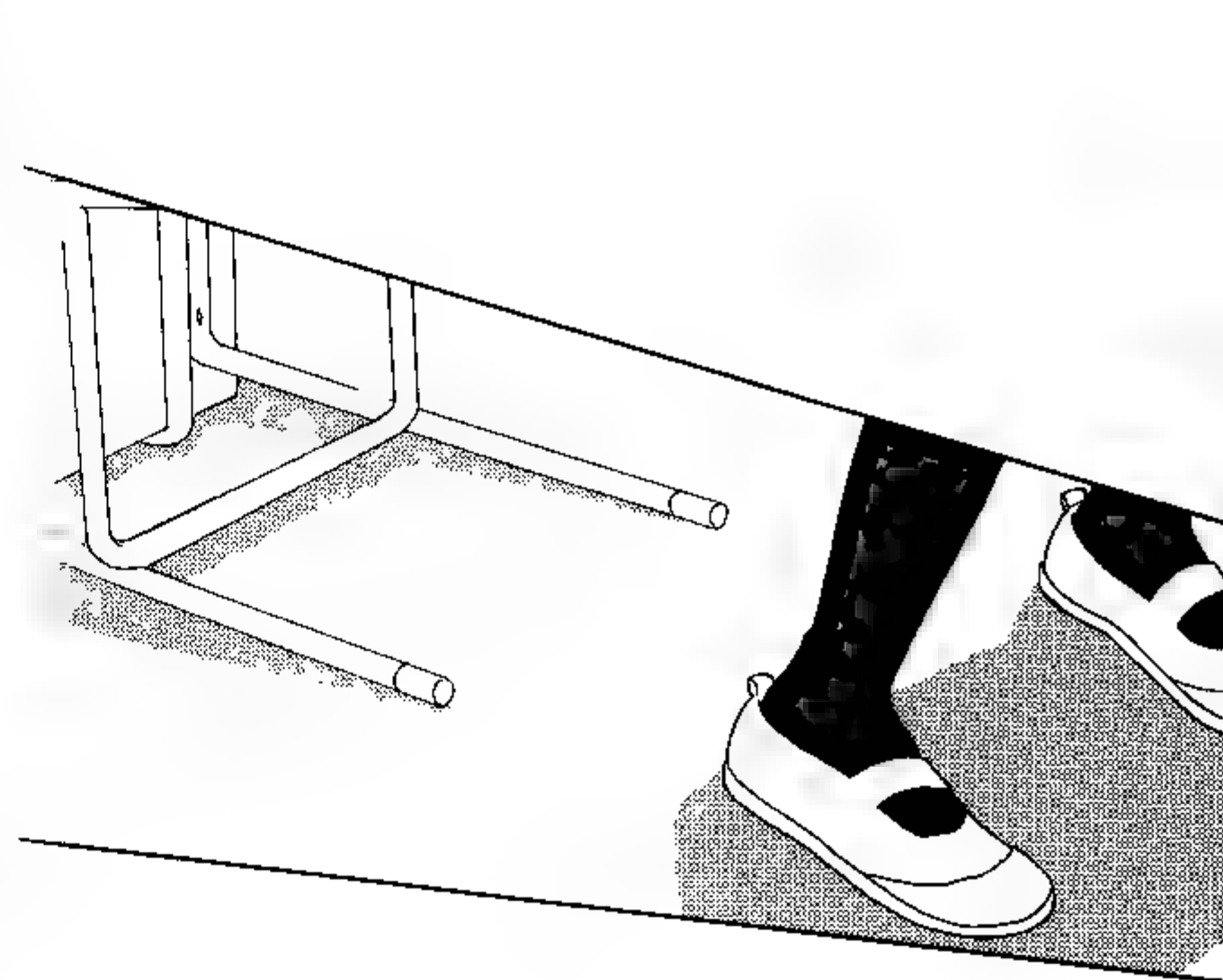
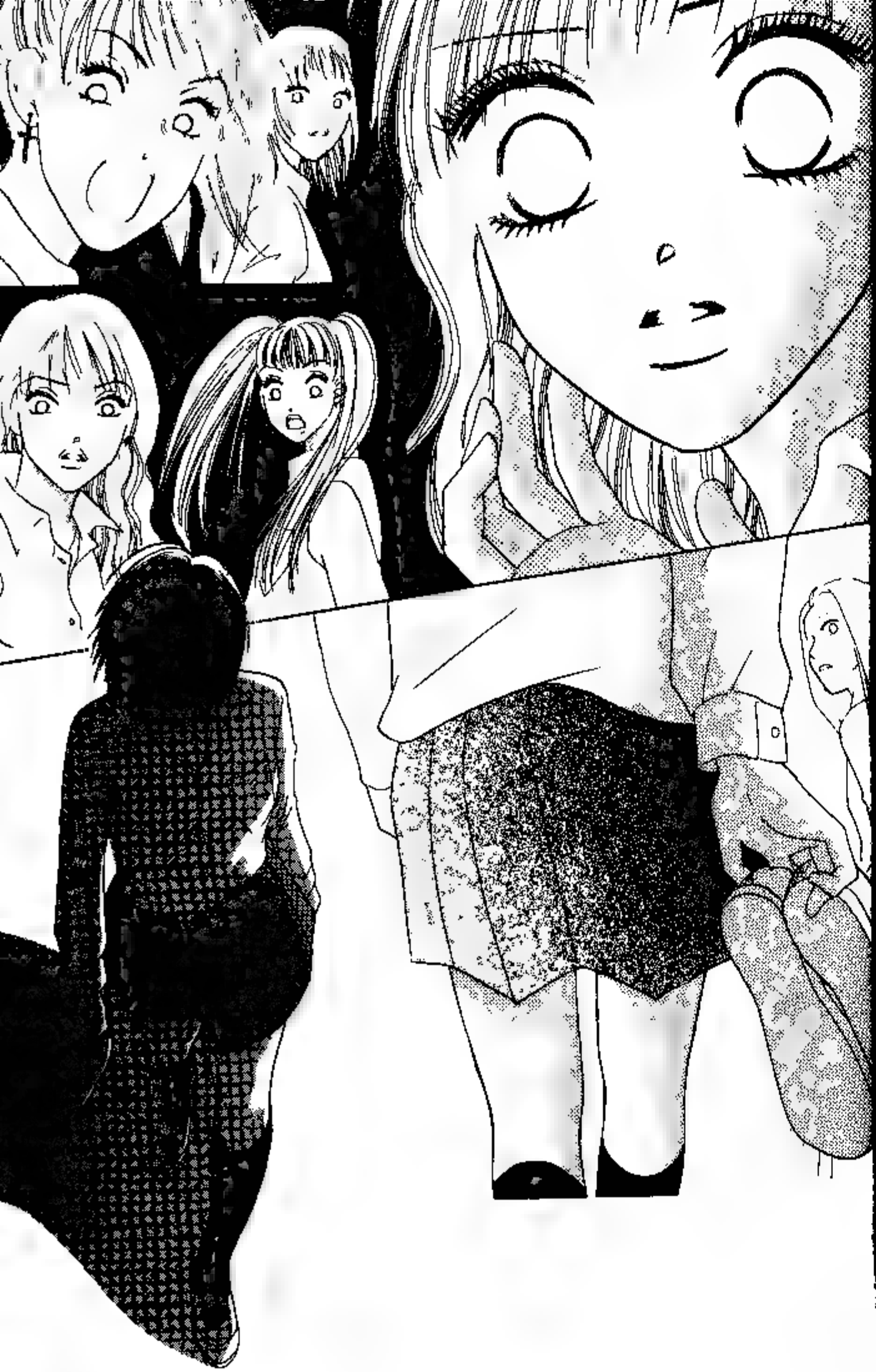
NO WAY!
THIS STUFF
WILL BE ON
THE FINAL!

I DON'T
WANT TO
RUN AWAY
ANY MORE.



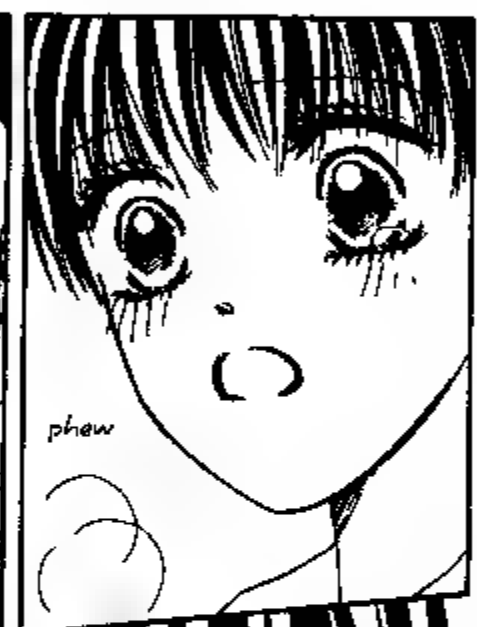
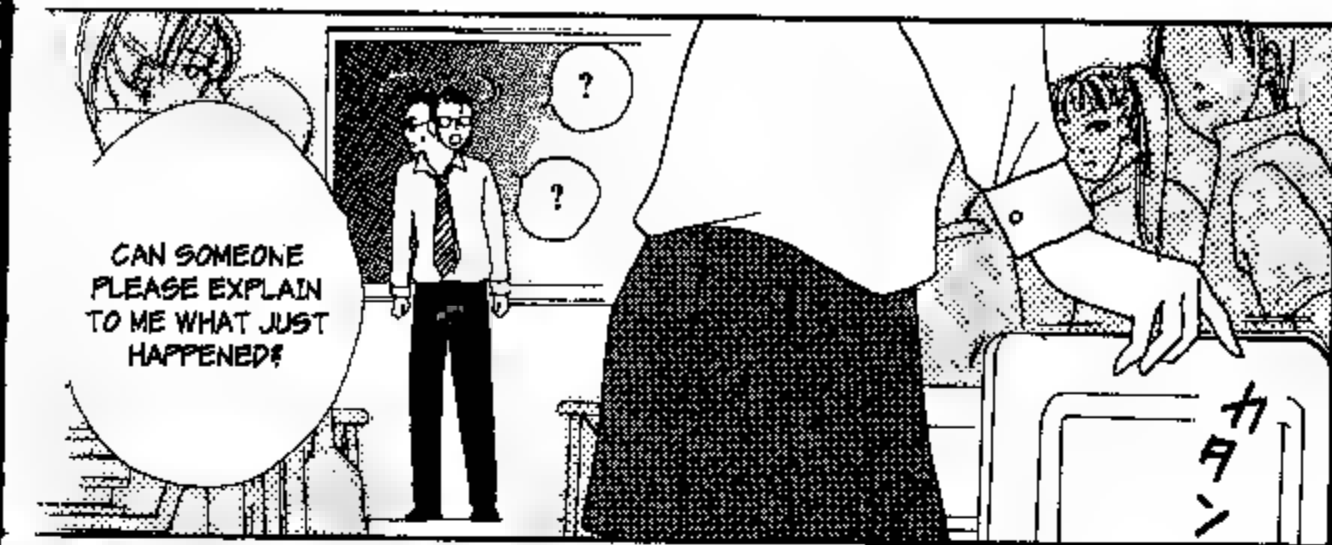
I MEAN,
THIS IS
AYUMU
WE'RE
TALKING
ABOUT.





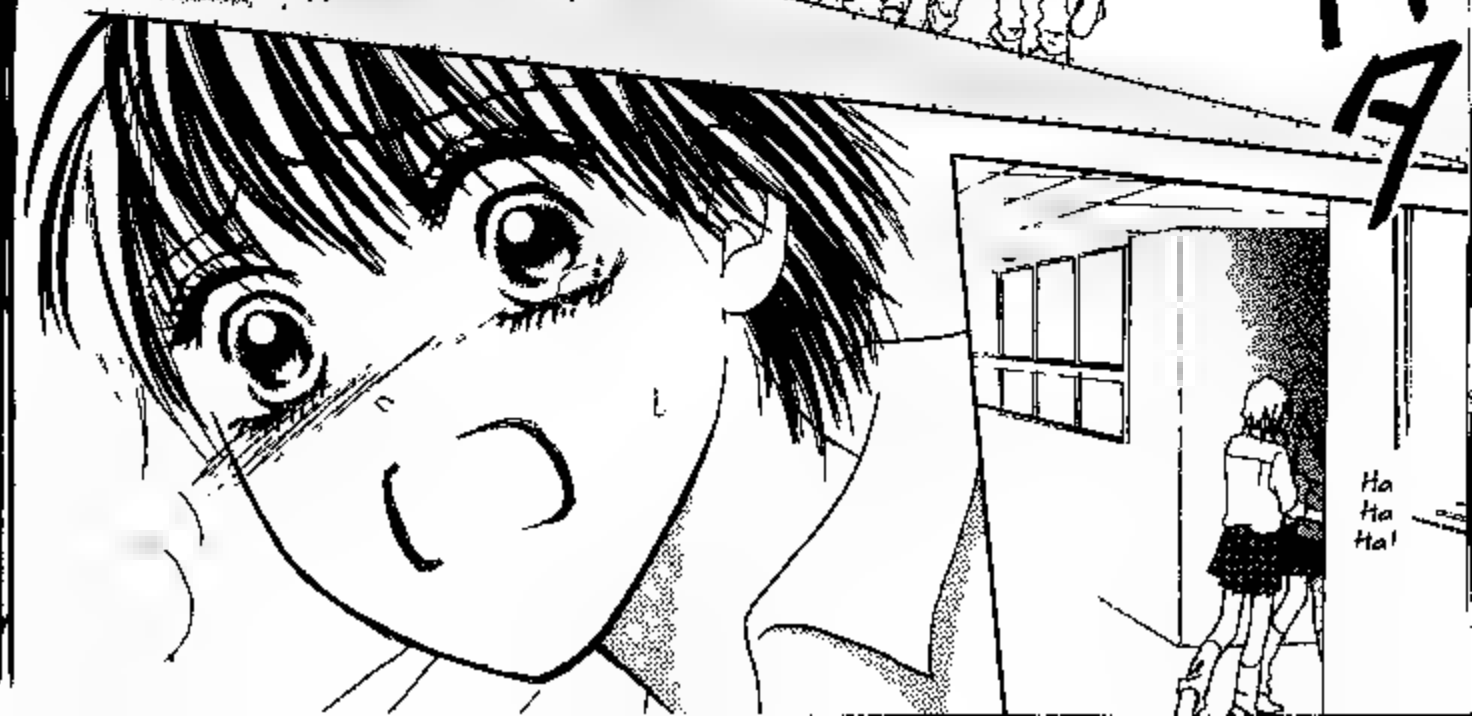
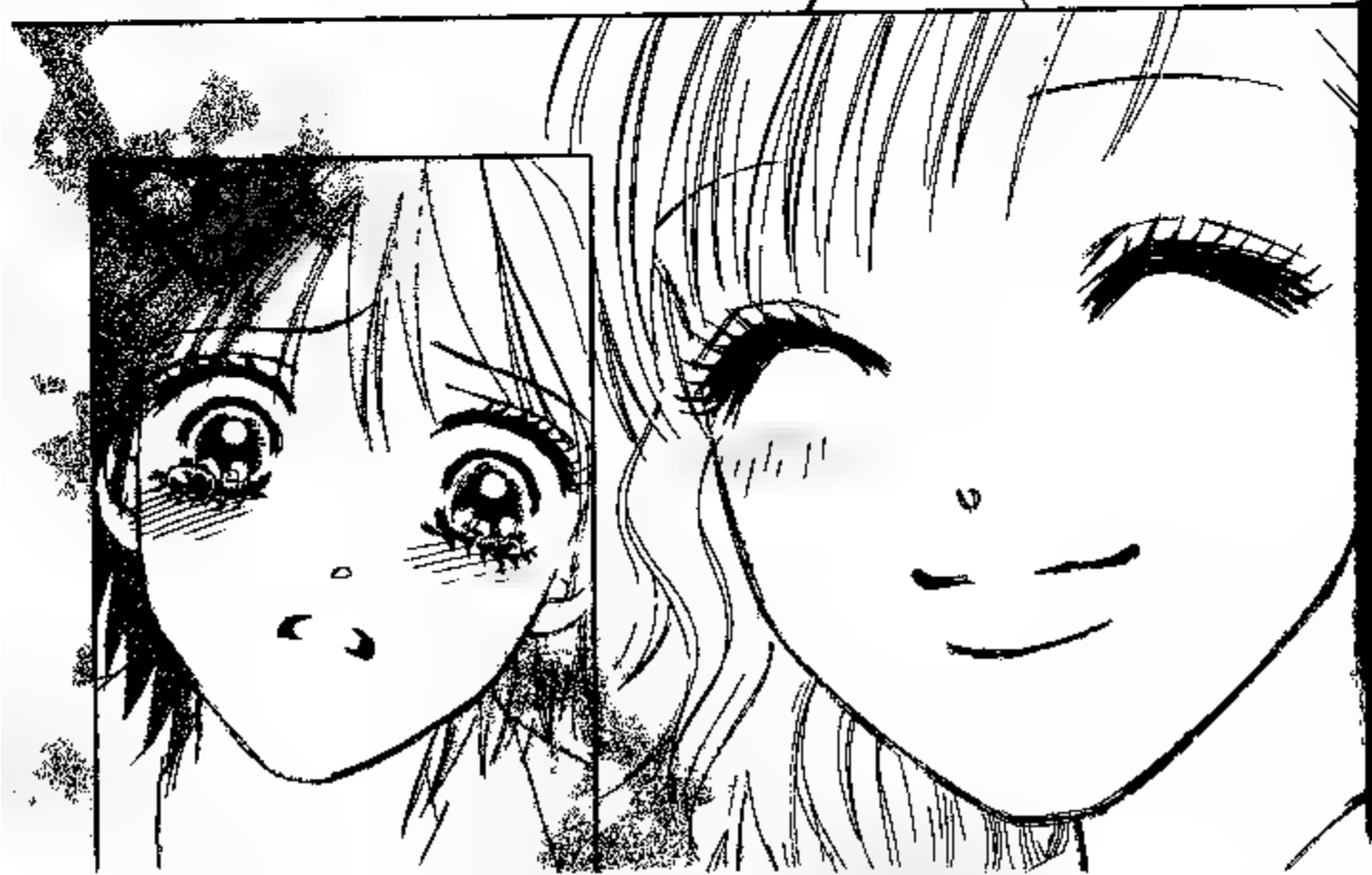
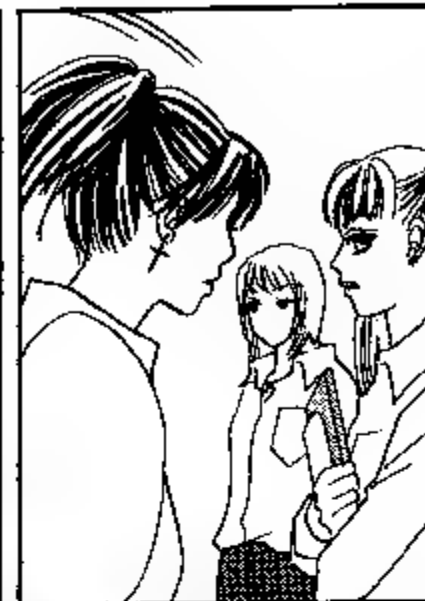




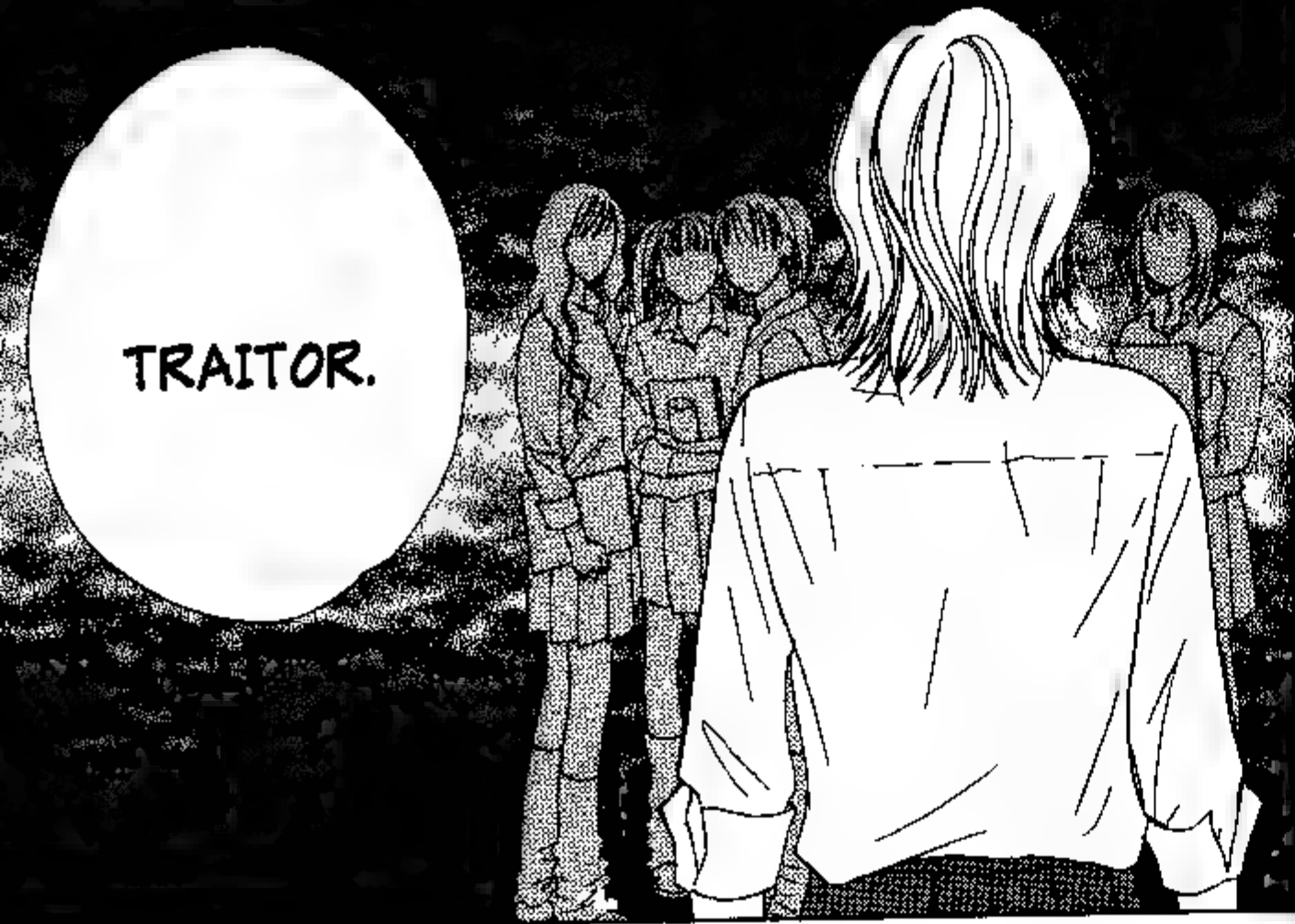


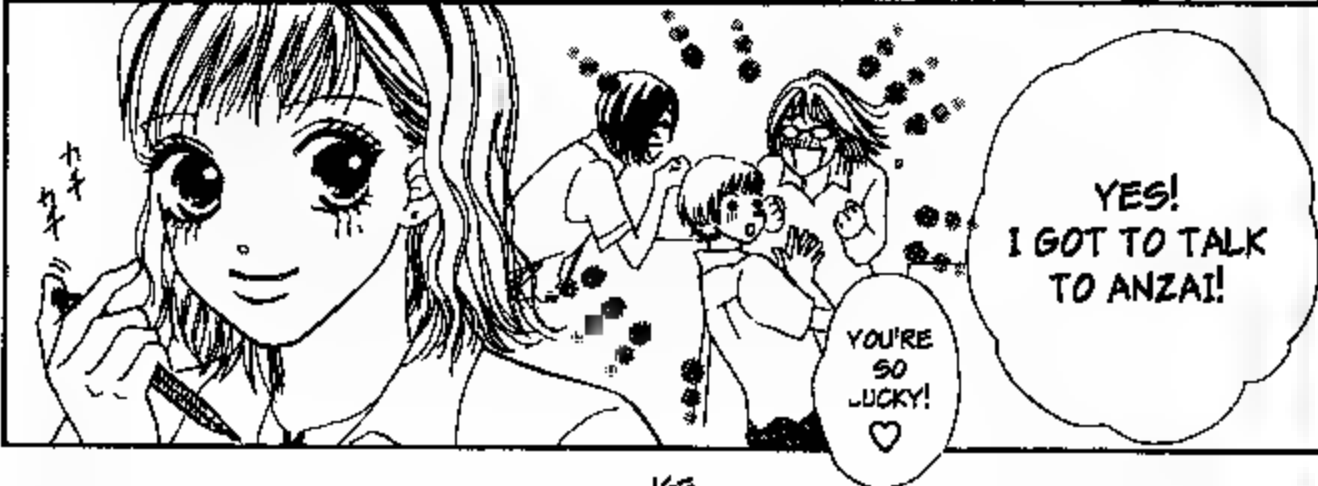


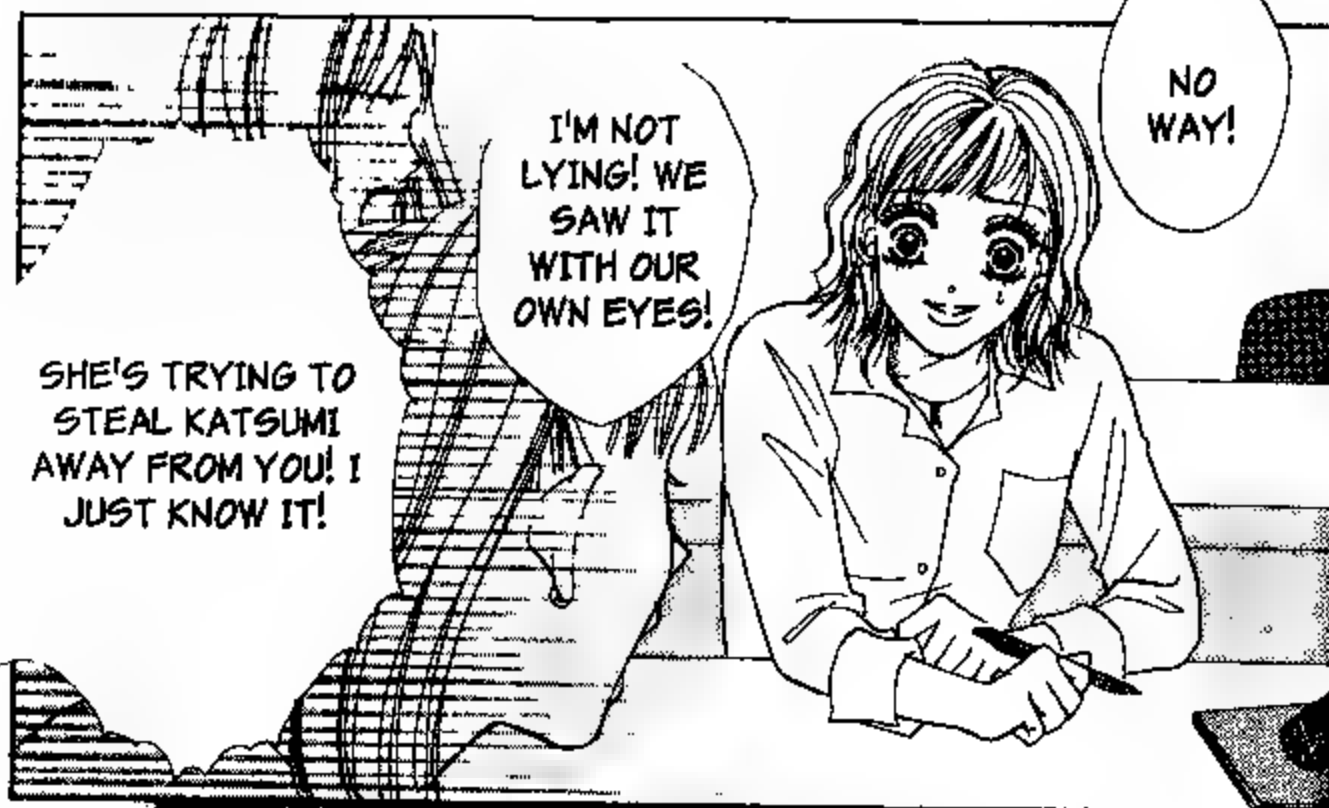
Order
English 1



TRAITOR.







SHE'S TRYING TO
STEAL KATSUMI
AWAY FROM YOU! I
JUST KNOW IT!

I'M NOT
LYING! WE
SAW IT
WITH OUR
OWN EYES!

NO
WAY!



OH, WHO
CARES?

UGH!
WHAT'S
WITH
HER?

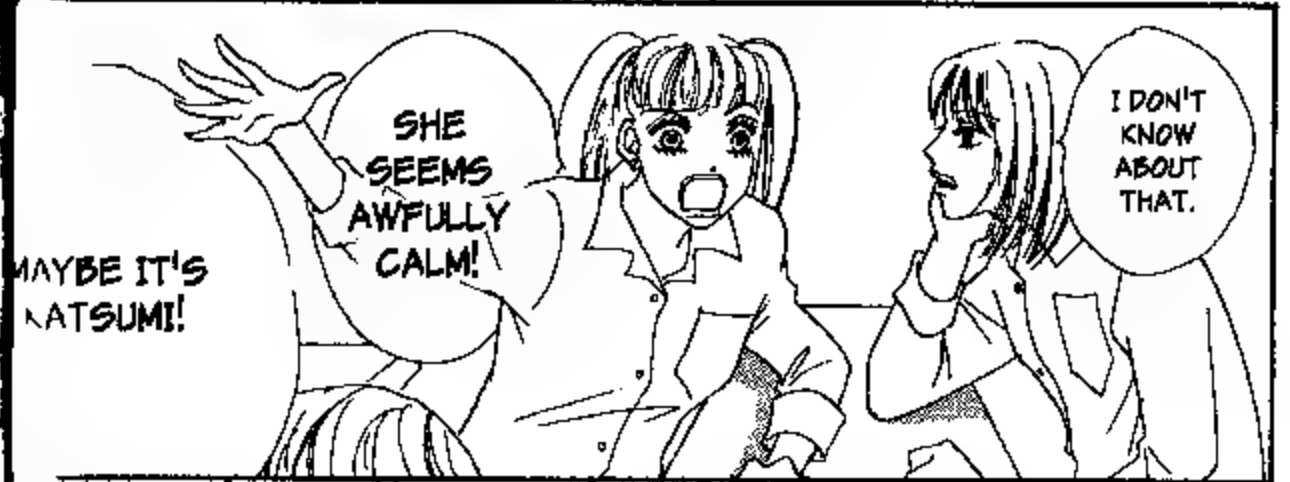
SHE'LL COME
CRAWLING
BACK SOON
ENOUGH.

SHE PISSES
ME OFF!
PISSES ME
OFF! PISSES
ME OFF!



THERE'S
NO WAY...

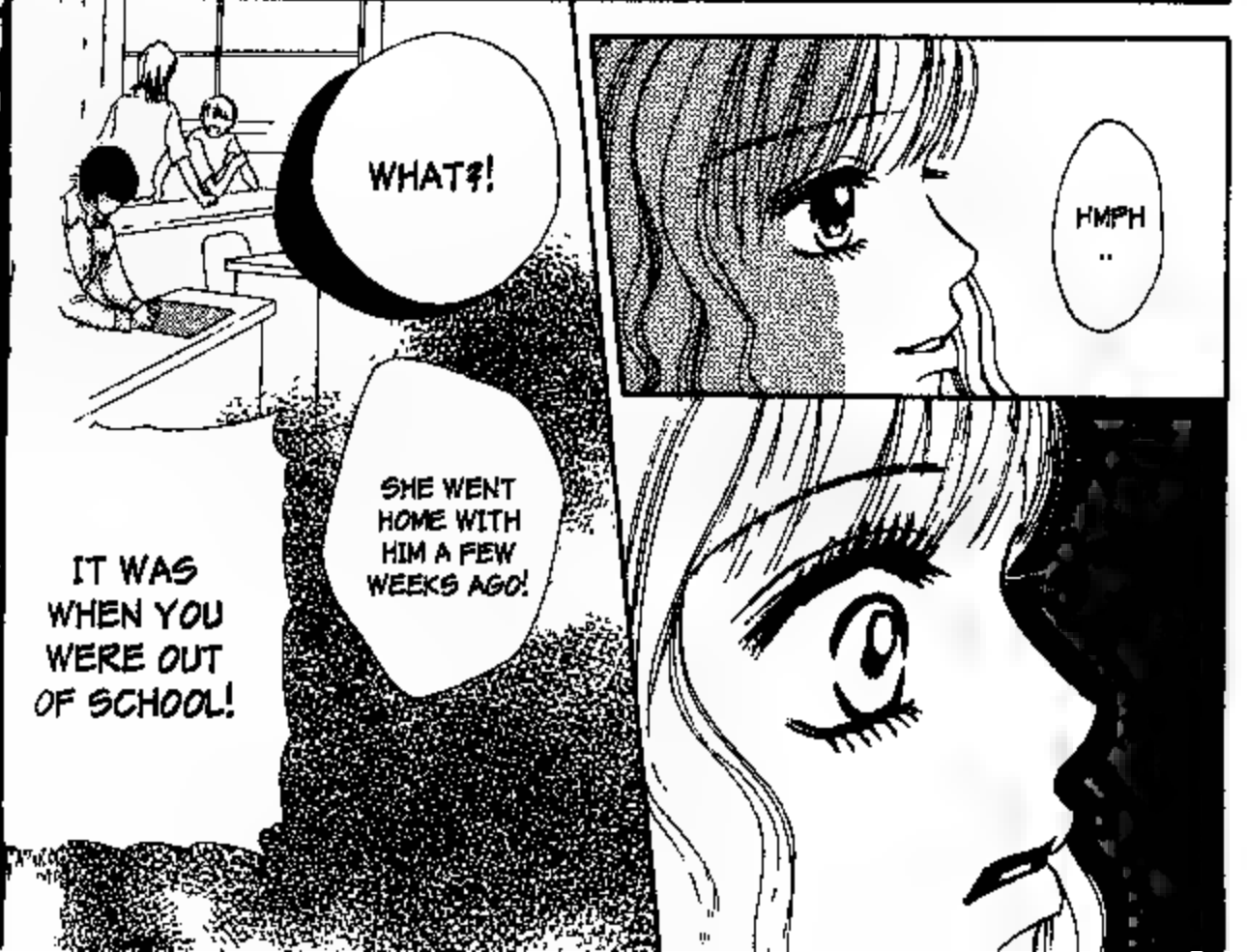
...AYUMU WOULD
BE ABLE TO DO
SOMETHING LIKE
THAT...



MAYBE IT'S
KATSUMI!

SHE
SEEMS
AWFULLY
CALM!

I DON'T
KNOW
ABOUT
THAT.

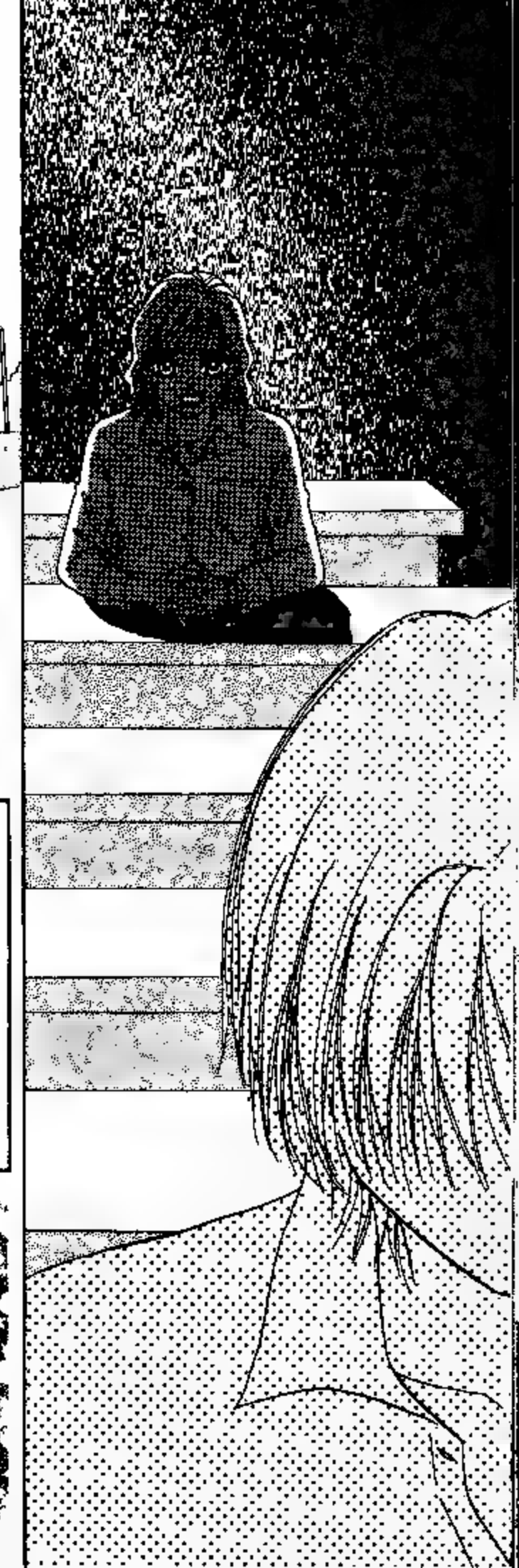
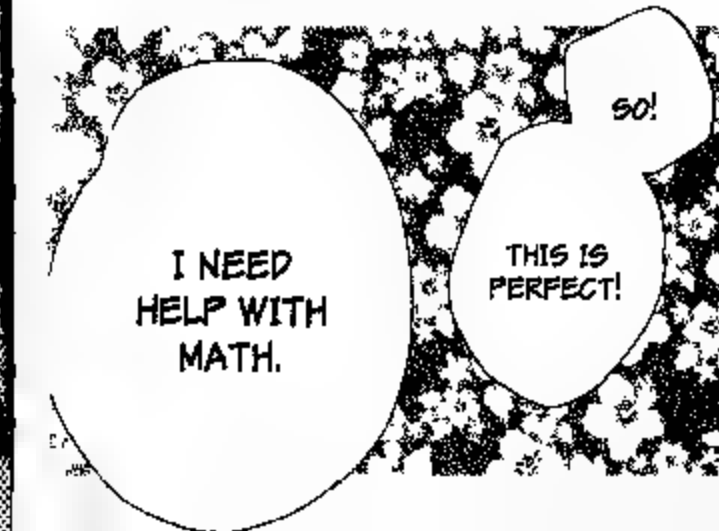
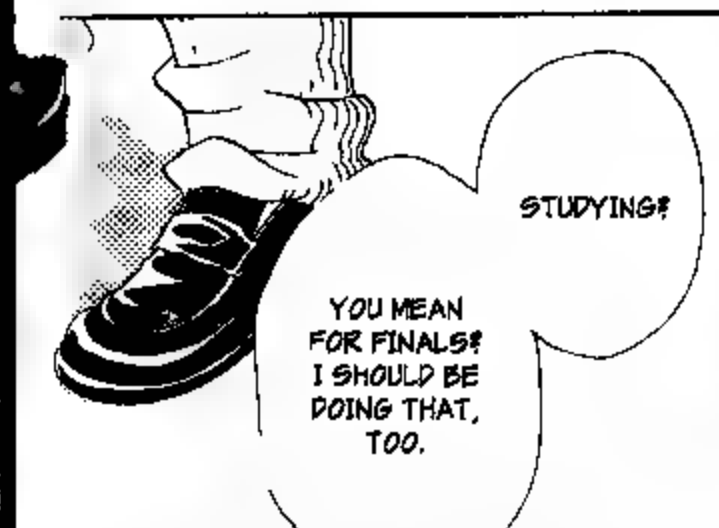
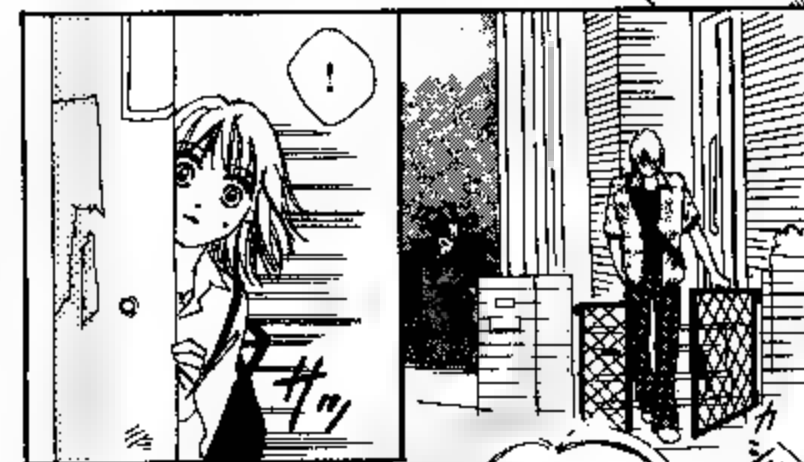


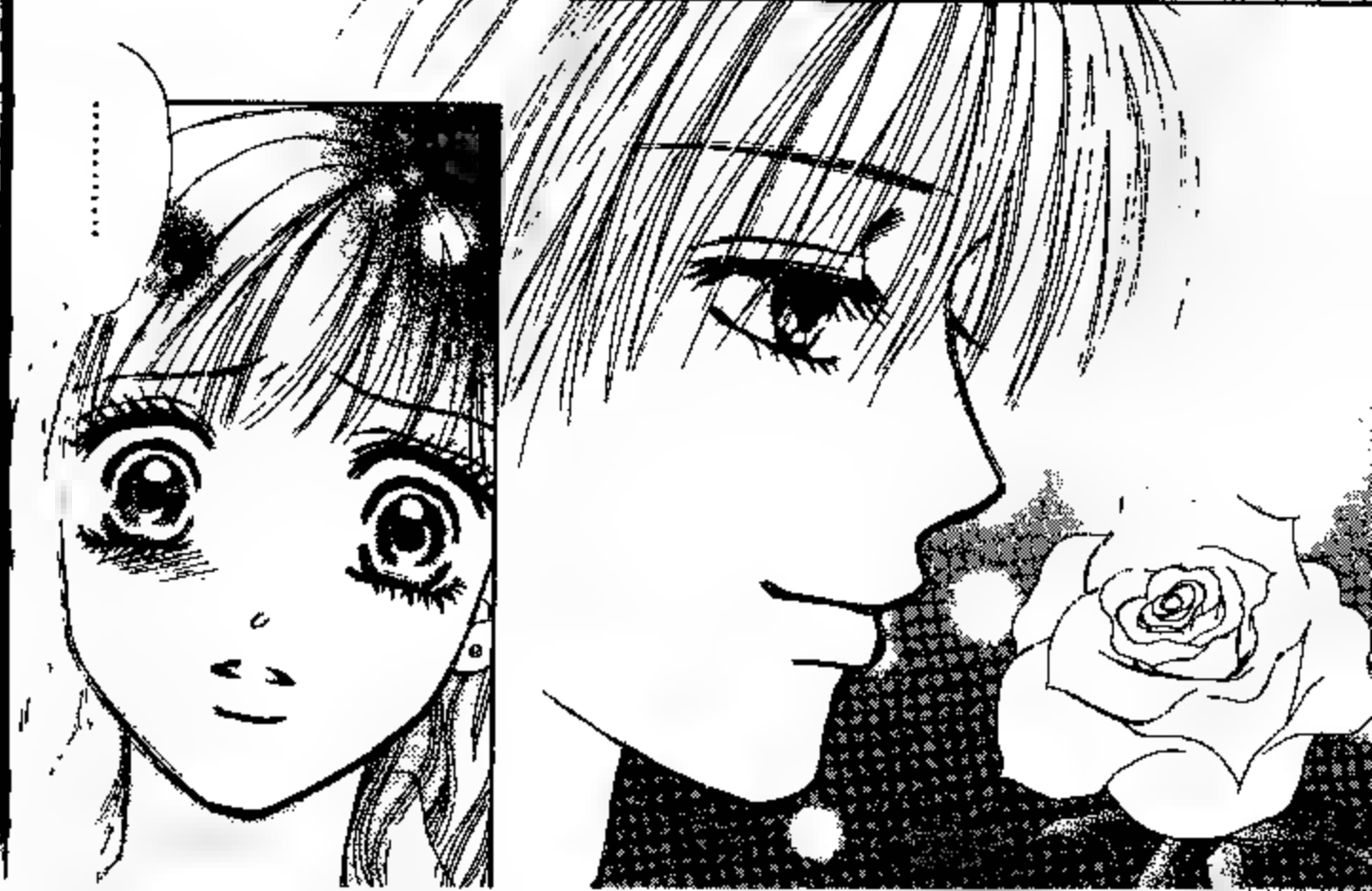
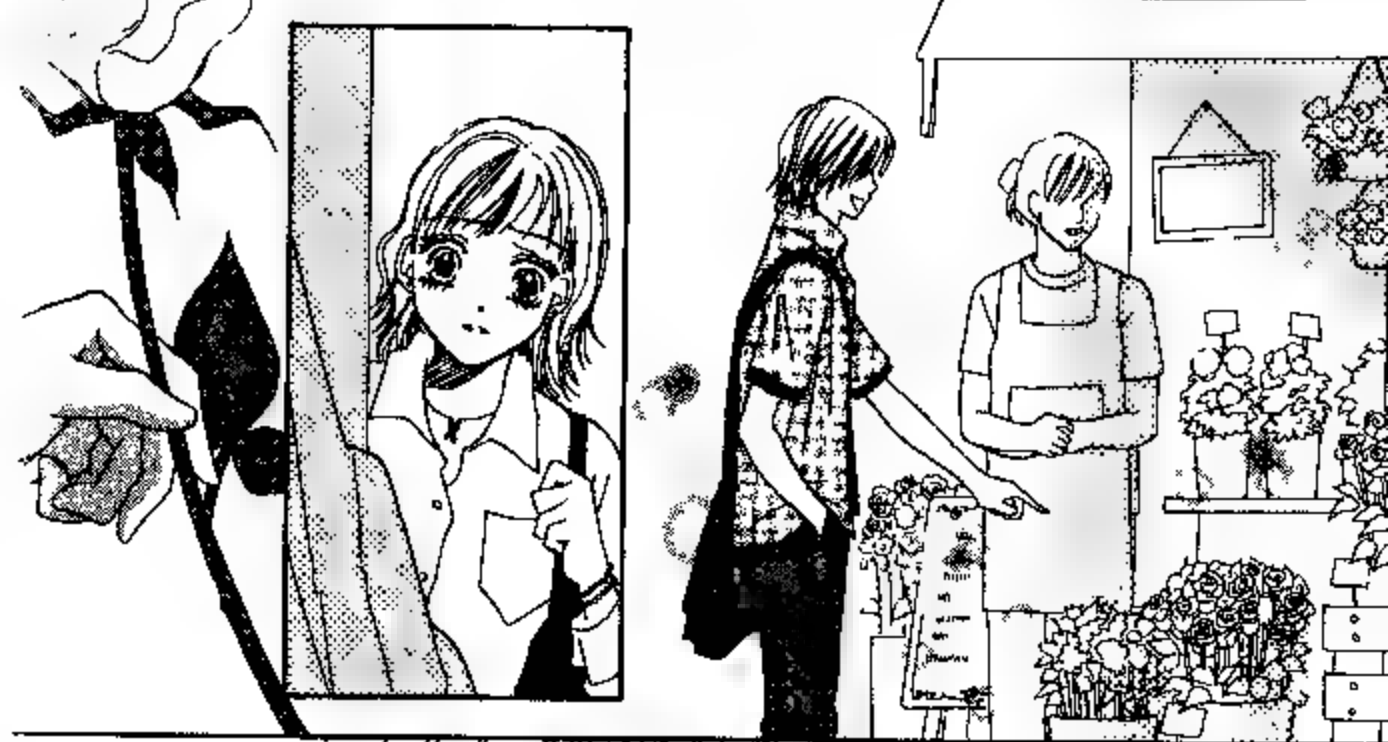
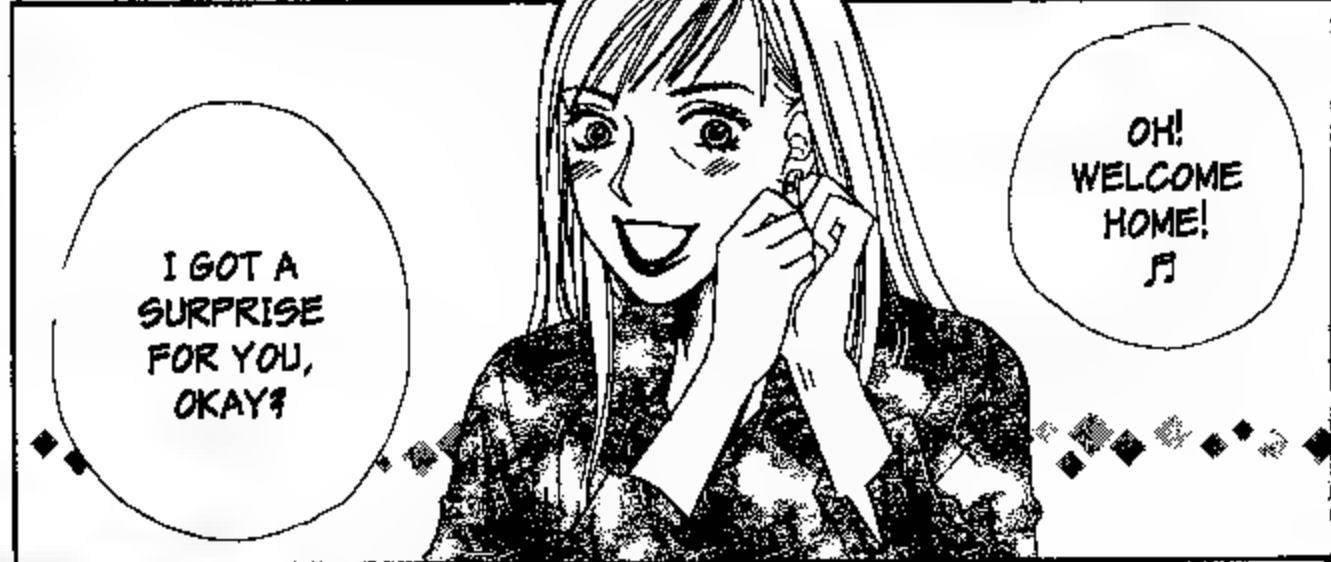
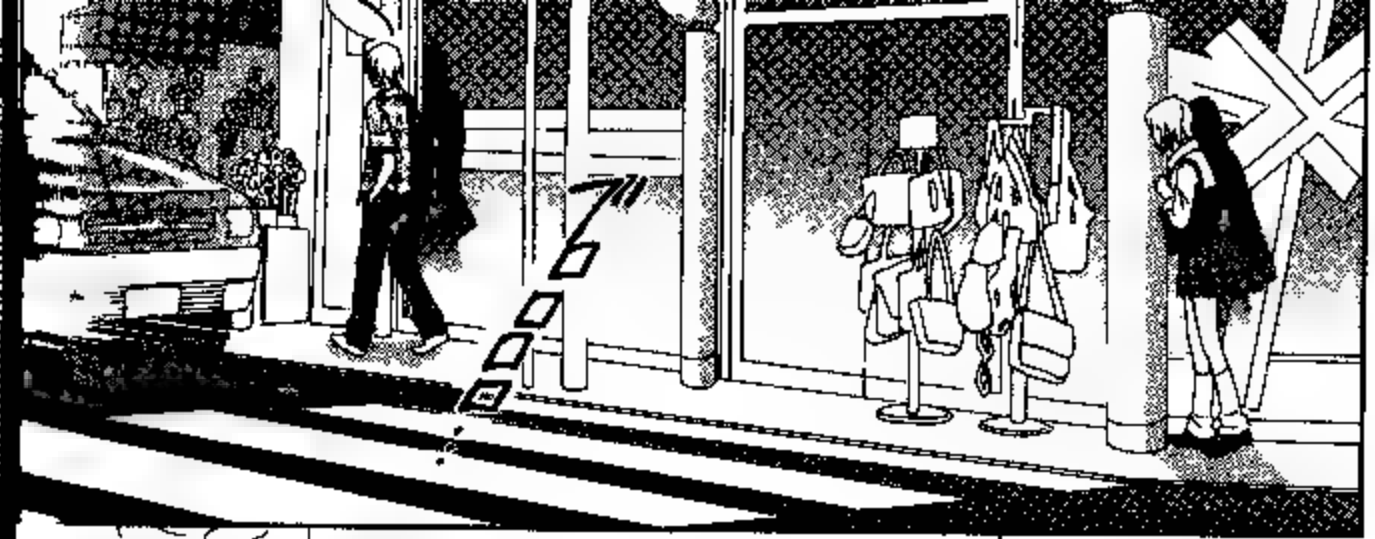
WHAT?!

HMPH
..

IT WAS
WHEN YOU
WERE OUT
OF SCHOOL!

SHE WENT
HOME WITH
HIM A FEW
WEEKS AGO!





WELCOME!

KATSUMI
SAKO,
CORRECT?

HELLO

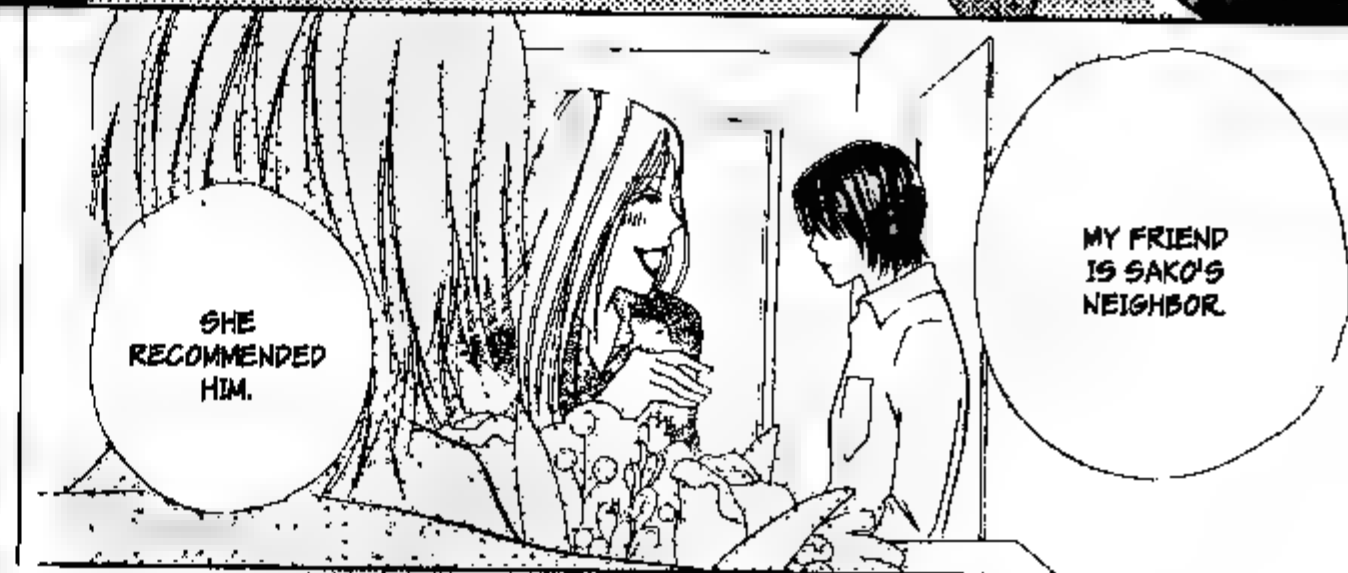
WHY
IS HE
HERE?



PLEASE
LEAVE.



I
HIRED HIM
AS YOUR
TUTOR!



SHE
RECOMMENDED
HIM.

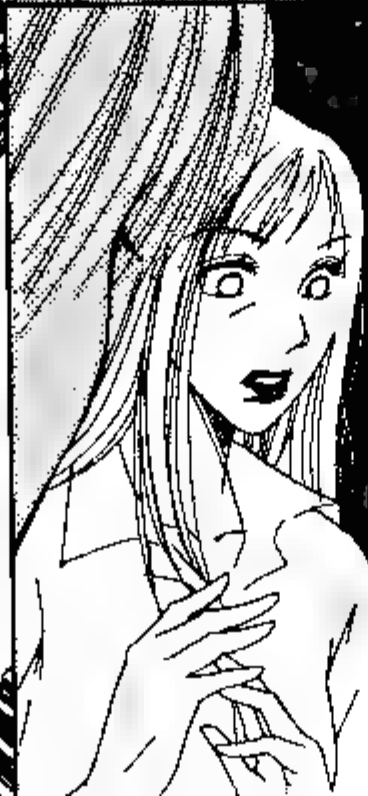
MY FRIEND
IS SAKO'S
NEIGHBOR.



AYUMU!

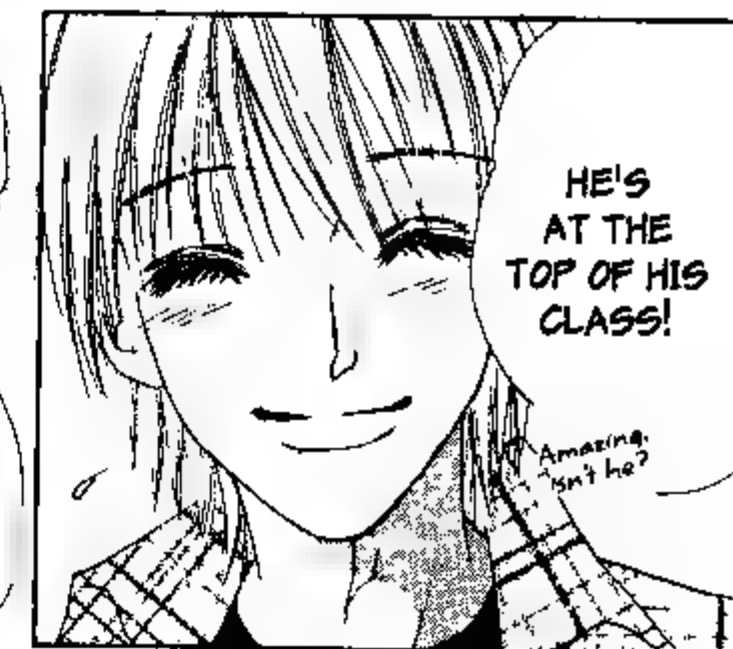


PLEASE
JUST
LEAVE!



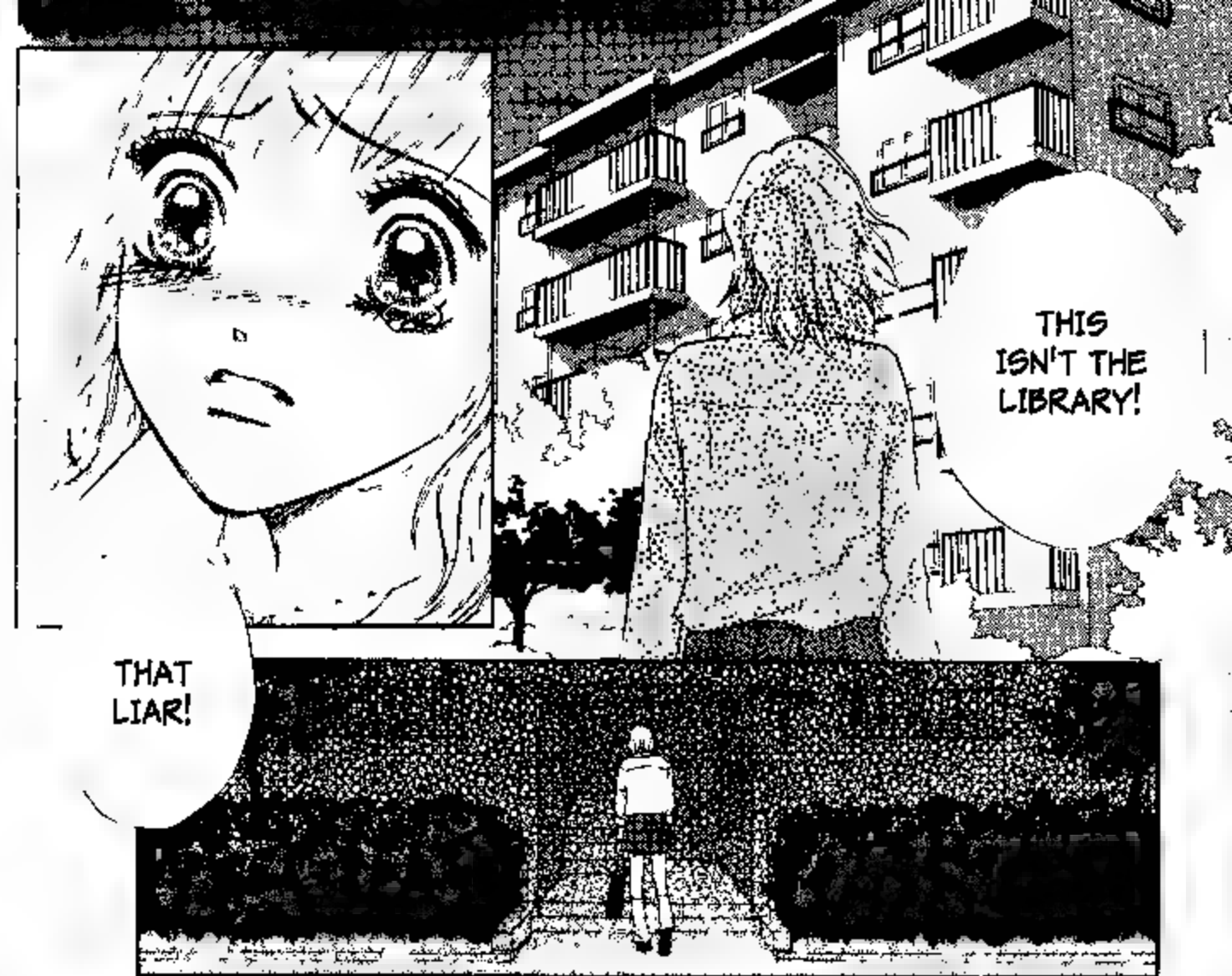
I GOT
THESE
FOR
YOU.

MY, HOW
PRETTY!



HE'S
AT THE
TOP OF HIS
CLASS!

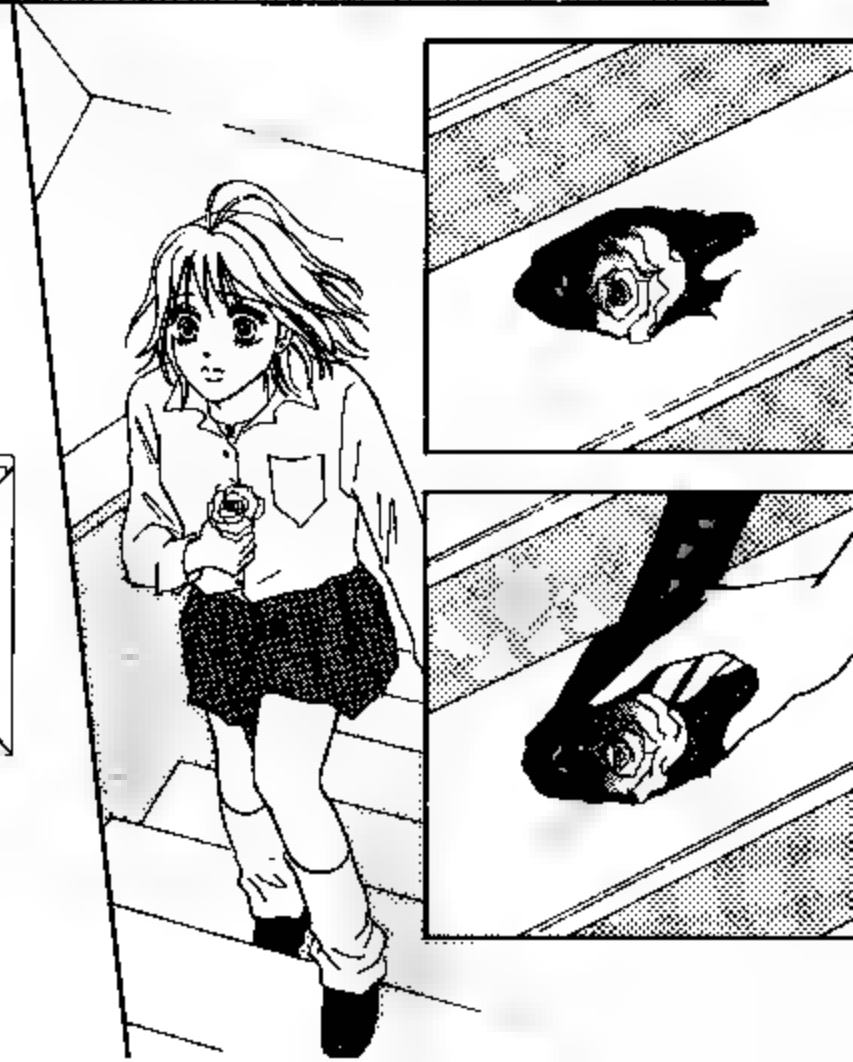
Amazing.
Isn't he?

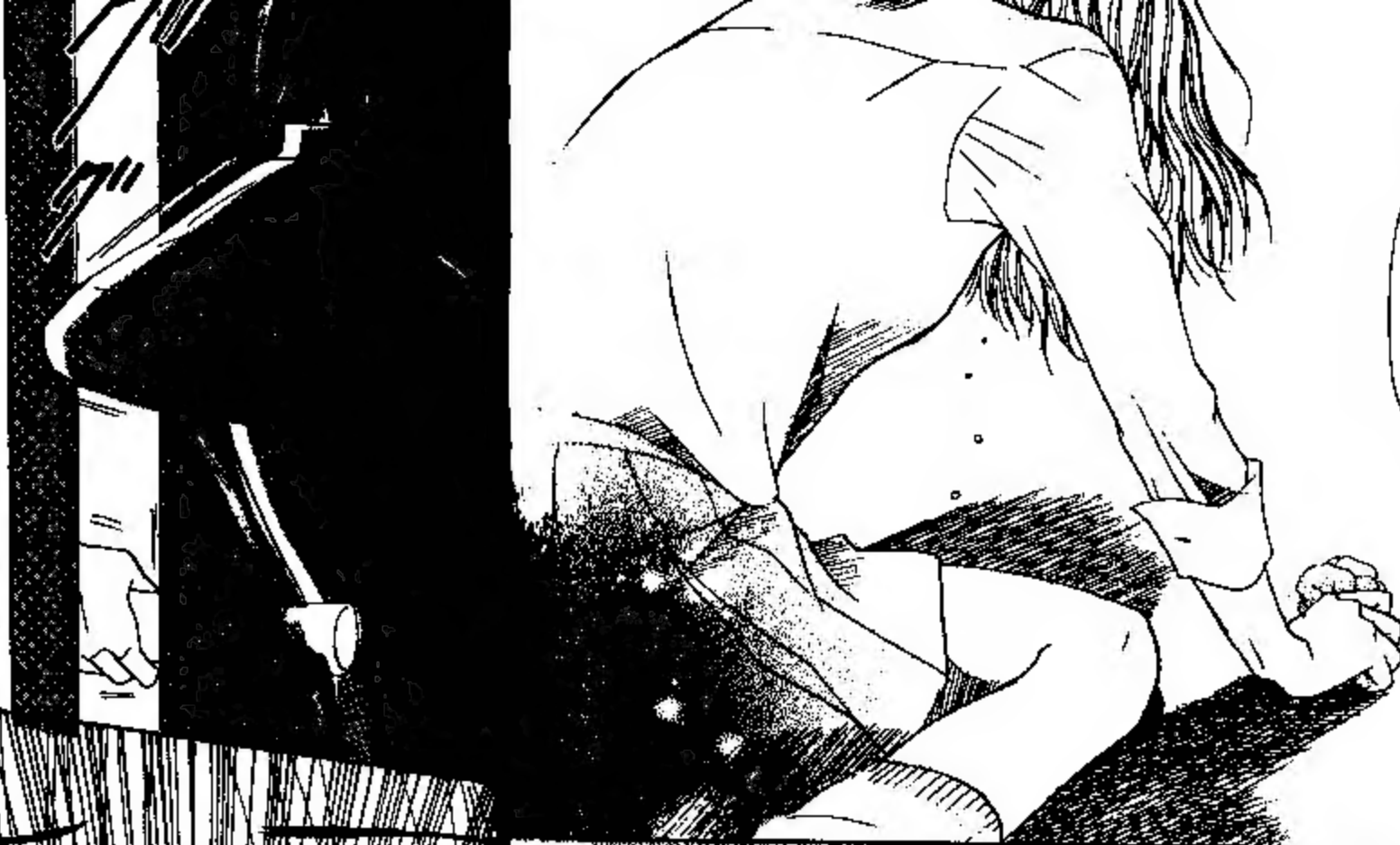


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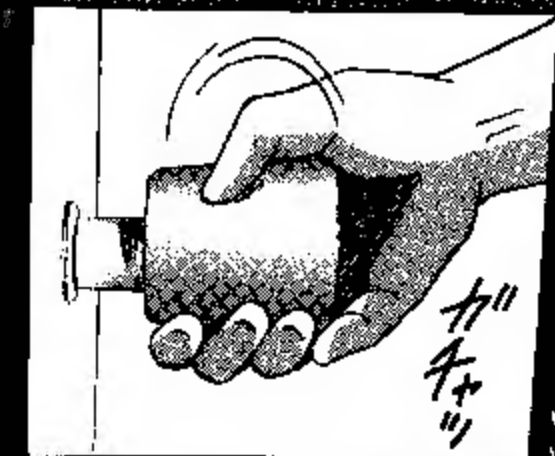
椎葉

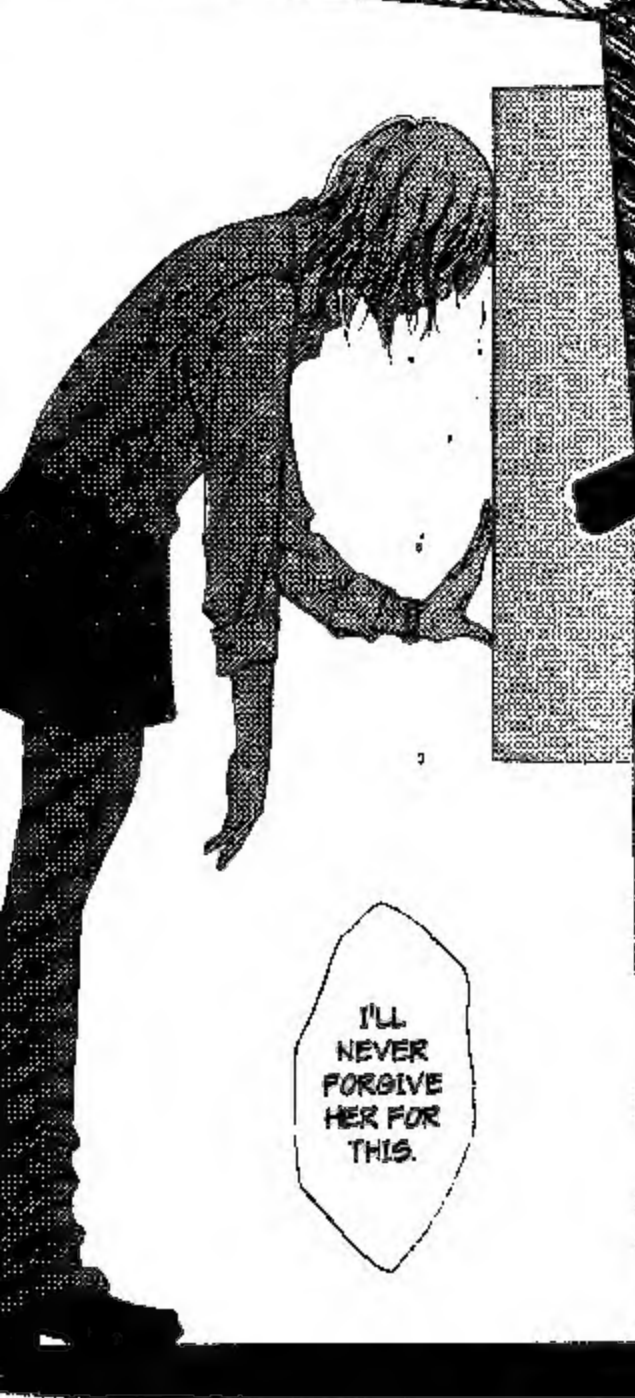
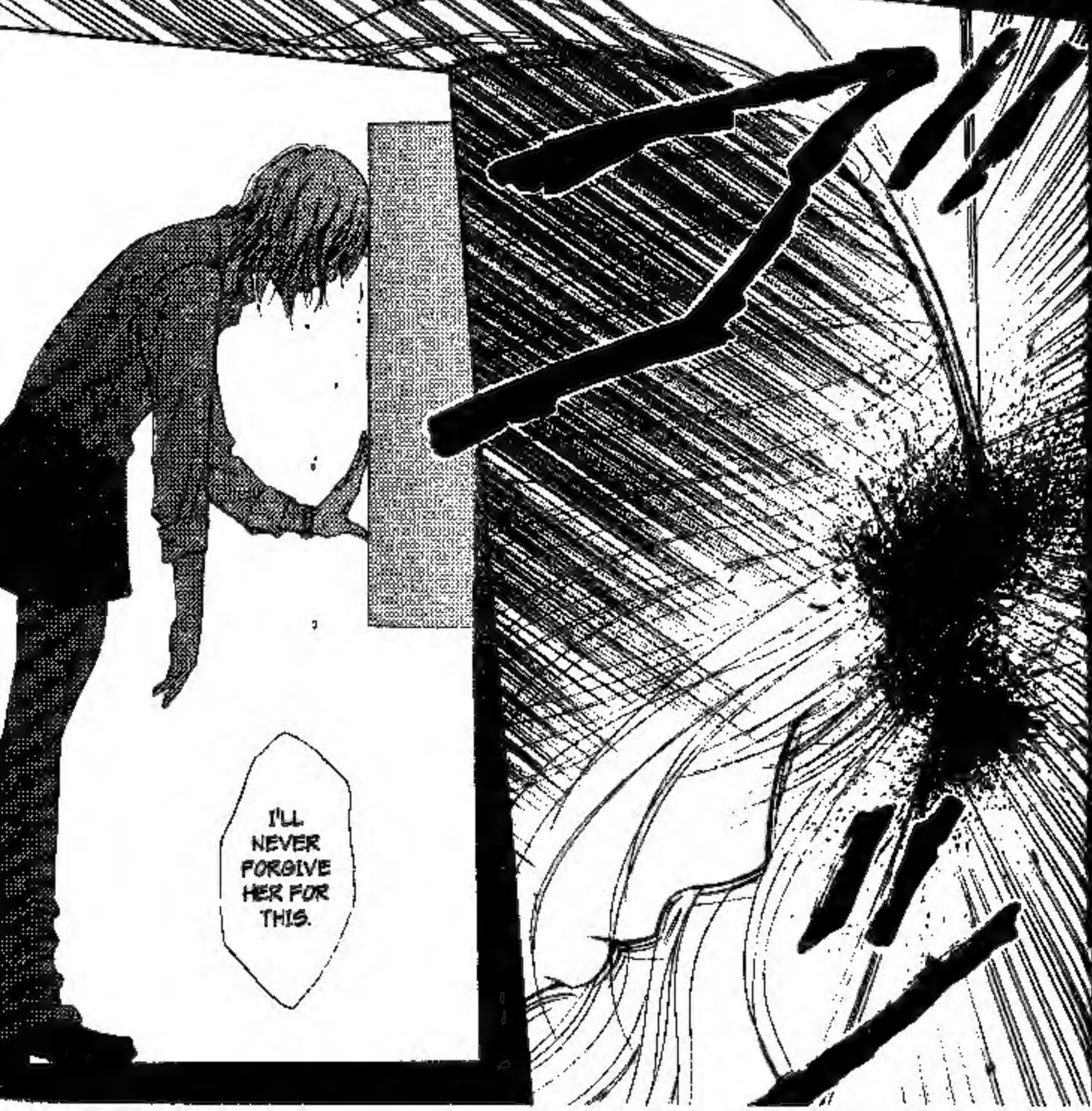
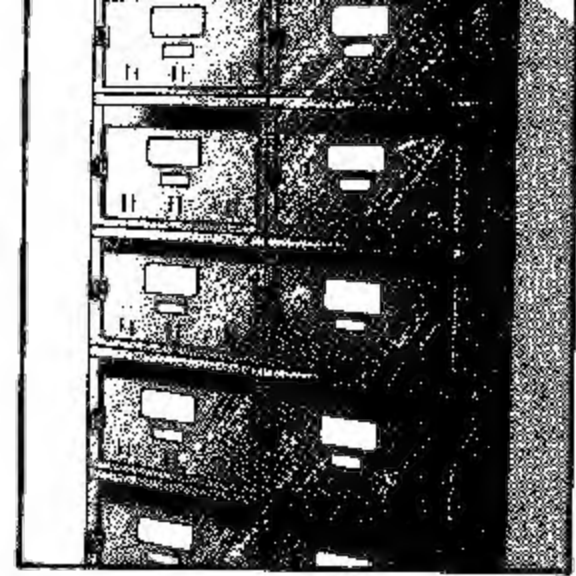
Sign: Shiiba





HE NEVER
GAVE ME
FLOWERS.



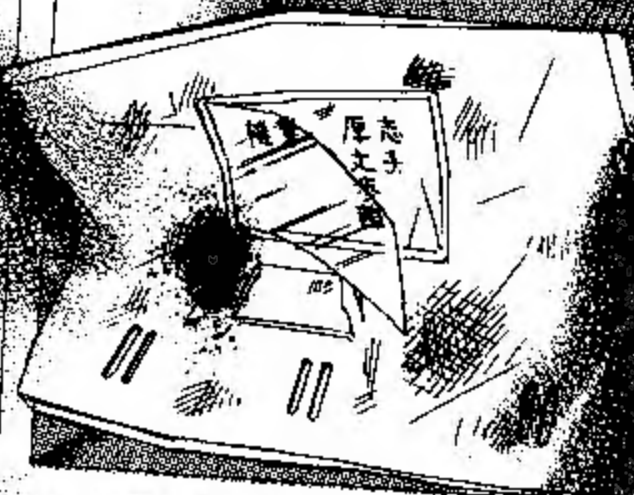


I'LL NEVER FORGIVE HER FOR THIS.





I WILL
NEVER,
EVER,
FORGIVE
HER FOR
THIS!



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